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No. 1.—Population of New South Wales and Elements of Increase—Quarterly.

Period.	Estimated Population at end of Quarter.			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Period by Migration (Excess of Arrivals over Departures).				
					Interstate.			Oversea.	Increase by Migration.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.		By Land and Air.	By Sea.	Total.		
1948.									
March Qtr.	1,510,900	1,508,052	3,018,952	10,181	(-) 2,435	(-) 330	(-) 2,765	3,954	1,189
June "	1,513,563	1,511,755	3,025,318	8,852	(-) 7,268	(-) 291	(-) 7,559	5,073	(-) 2,486
Sept. "	1,520,961	1,518,664	3,039,625	8,032	(-) 1,221	(-) 204	(-) 1,425	7,700	6,275
Dec. "	1,531,990	1,530,354	3,062,344	9,766	818	307	1,125	11,828	12,953
Year ...	...	...	...	36,831	(-)10,106	(-) 518	(-)10,624	28,555	17,931
1949.									
March Qtr.	1,545,909	1,540,471	3,086,380	10,005	296	120	416	13,615	14,031
June "	1,561,592	1,552,067	3,113,659	9,498	2,437	521	2,958	14,823	17,781
Sept. "	1,574,988	1,564,163	3,139,151	9,725	549	(-) 284	265	15,502	15,767
Dec. "	1,594,724	1,581,211	3,175,935	10,220	5,003	(-) 722	4,341	22,223	26,564
Year ...	...	...	...	39,448	8,345	(-) 365	7,980	66,163	74,143
1950.									
March Qtr.	1,610,106	1,593,872	3,203,978	11,227	1,932	(-) 1,642	290	16,526	16,816
June "	1,621,456	1,603,786	3,225,242	10,233	(-) 419	183	(-) 236	11,267	11,031
Sept. "	1,631,713	1,612,884	3,244,597	8,511	9	112	121	10,723	10,844
Dec. "	1,649,486	1,628,550	3,278,036	10,666	3,006	(-) 530	2,476	20,297	22,773
Year ...	...	...	...	40,637	4,528	(-) 1,877	2,651	58,813	61,464

(-) Denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

No. 2.—Population of New South Wales—Annual Estimates.

Year.	Population at Date shown.			Mean Population for Year.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
At 30th June.						
1939...	1,385,051	1,363,342	2,748,393	1,379,589	1,355,811	2,735,400
1940...	1,396,989	1,379,962	2,776,951	1,391,960	1,372,264	2,764,224
1941...	1,403,840	1,394,440	2,798,280	1,401,796	1,388,291	2,790,087
1942...	1,417,563	1,411,134	2,828,697	1,410,556	1,402,829	2,813,385
1943...	1,430,972	1,426,731	2,857,703	1,426,217	1,419,588	2,845,805
1944...	1,443,478	1,443,006	2,886,574	1,436,681	1,434,771	2,871,452
1945...	1,457,500	1,460,878	2,918,378	1,449,907	1,451,552	2,901,459
1946...	1,471,066	1,473,634	2,944,700	1,464,502	1,467,864	2,932,366
1947 (Census, 30th June)...	1,492,211	1,492,627	2,984,838	1,480,897	1,482,159	2,963,056
1948...	1,513,563	1,511,755	3,025,318	1,503,789	1,502,692	3,006,481
1949...	1,561,592	1,552,067	3,113,659	1,533,884	1,530,089	3,063,973
1950...	1,621,456	1,603,786	3,225,242	1,592,739	1,579,201	3,171,940
At 31st December.						
1939...	1,393,358	1,373,057	2,766,415	1,386,112	1,364,093	2,750,205
1940...	1,402,297	1,388,051	2,790,348	1,397,290	1,380,608	2,777,898
1941...	1,410,509	1,402,547	2,813,056	1,405,425	1,395,112	2,800,537
1942...	1,427,739	1,420,401	2,848,140	1,419,168	1,411,912	2,831,080
1943...	1,436,177	1,434,534	2,870,711	1,430,908	1,426,639	2,857,547
1944...	1,449,551	1,451,488	2,901,039	1,443,094	1,443,110	2,886,204
1945...	1,464,686	1,468,312	2,932,998	1,457,182	1,460,233	2,917,415
1946...	1,480,644	1,481,748	2,962,392	1,471,419	1,473,801	2,945,220
1947...	1,504,350	1,503,232	3,007,582	1,492,311	1,492,762	2,985,073
1948...	1,531,990	1,530,354	3,062,344	1,515,909	1,513,664	3,029,573
1949...	1,594,724	1,581,211	3,175,935	1,561,124	1,552,853	3,113,977
1950...	1,649,486	1,628,550	3,278,036	1,621,200	1,603,696	3,224,896

## No. 3.—Net Migration\* to and from New South Wales: Recorded Movement.

Country.	Year.			1949. December Quarter.	1950.			
	1948.	1949.	1950.		March Quarter.	June Quarter.	September Quarter.	December Quarter.
Interstate—								
Victoria ...	(—)10,387	18,776	16,228	5,523	4,257	8,076	164	3,731
Queensland ...	(—) 2,493	(—) 6,850	(—) 8,280	252	(—) 2,577	(—) 7,763	1,358	702
South Australia ...	545	(—) 2,209	(—) 4,454	(—) 969	(—) 994	(—) 151	(—) 1,338	(—) 1,971
Western Australia ...	889	(—) 869	(—) 1,412	(—) 752	(—) 77	(—) 433	(—) 505	(—) 551
Tasmania ...	533	308	378	27	57	213	190	(—) 82
Northern Territory ...	(—) 40	(—) 47	(—) 1	15	(—) 4	(—) 2	9	(—) 4
Aust. Cap. Territory	329	(—) 1,029	192	245	(—) 526	(—) 176	243	651
Total, Interstate	(—)10,624	7,980	2,651	4,341	290	(—) 236	121	2,476
Oversea—								
United Kingdom ...	10,590	16,740		5,525				
Canada ...	53	211		87				
New Zealand ...	312	(—) 1,970		(—) 2,165				
Other British Countries	2,911	4,918		2,356				
Egypt ...	551	1,330		387				
France ...	183	717		22				
Italy ...	4,597	36,360		14,253				
Japan ...	4,221	3,584		108				
United States of America	2,633	1,203		360				
Other Countries ...	2,504	3,070		1,290				
Total, Oversea	28,555	66,163	58,813	22,223	16,526	11,267	10,723	20,297
Net Migration	17,931	74,143	61,464	26,564	16,816	11,031	10,844	22,773

\* Excess of arrivals over departures; (—) denotes excess of departures over arrivals. Troop movements prior to July, 1947, are excluded. † Not available.

## No. 4.—Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales.

Nationality.	Year 1949.	Year 1950.	December Quarter.		Year 1949.	Year 1950.	December Quarter.	
			1949.	1950.			1949.	1950.
	Total Arrivals.				Permanent * New Arrivals.			
British ...	79,702	87,703	20,373	24,017	31,302	33,741	7,129	9,082
American (U.S.) ...	2,258	2,731	557	714	851	963	176	256
Austrian ...	395	219	52	67	357	172	47	56
Chinese ...	1,456	1,229	437	357	390	490	83	200
Czechoslovak ...	1,938	1,684	835	444	1,884	1,655	826	440
Dutch ...	1,376	7,445	256	4,041	549	6,602	70	3,731
Estonian ...	1,223	410	289	127	1,221	400	288	121
French ...	970	1,304	239	299	273	388	58	55
German ...	685	657	142	326	607	556	125	292
Greek ...	735	601	147	231	687	556	129	219
Hungarian ...	2,557	1,991	1,168	628	2,542	1,965	1,166	621
Italian ...	3,210	3,312	847	782	3,086	3,199	828	753
Latvian ...	4,080	1,729	1,252	603	4,077	1,716	1,251	602
Lithuanian ...	2,167	515	589	104	2,167	515	589	104
Polish ...	12,367	10,363	5,242	2,596	12,312	10,314	5,221	2,579
Russian ...	} 5,099 {	796	622	245	} 5,068 {	721	614	217
Ukranian ...		1,831	1,463	386		1,831	1,463	386
Yugoslav ...	3,585	2,903	1,303	818	3,553	2,878	1,295	811
Other ...	3,775	3,845	1,880	1,037	3,355	3,230	1,762	888
Total ...	127,578	131,268	37,693	37,822	74,281	71,892	23,120	21,413
Total Departures.				Australian Residents Departing Permanently.*				
British ...	55,636	66,044	14,058	15,783	9,868	11,342	2,091	2,928
American (U.S.) ...	1,837	2,379	448	645	232	284	41	99
Austrian ...	43	36	8	10	13	7	2	1
Chinese ...	1,176	698	396	186	112	19	19	14
Czechoslovak ...	60	42	13	9	1	9	1	5
Dutch ...	866	962	146	319	43	31	15	13
Estonian ...	7	14	1	7	...	3	...	2
French ...	770	974	176	245	44	54	10	15
German ...	87	86	26	20	15	7	10	1
Greek ...	76	72	18	13	18	22	1	2
Hungarian ...	14	38	...	11	...	4	...	2
Italian ...	152	168	28	38	30	25	...	10
Latvian ...	3	29	...	5	1	8	...	5
Lithuanian ...	14	16	...	1	3	12	...	1
Polish ...	64	63	12	17	18	17	3	3
Russian ...	} 43 {	85	13	20	} 15 {	36	4	10
Ukranian ...		8	...	2		3	...	1
Yugoslav ...	15	33	3	12	2	3	1	3
Other ...	552	708	124	182	95	87	11	29
Total ...	61,415	72,455	15,470	17,525	10,510	11,973	2,209	3,144

\* "Permanent" denotes residence for one year or more.

## No. 5.—Births, Deaths and Marriages—New South Wales.

Year.	Live Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Mean Population.			Infantile Mortality. Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 Live Births.
		Total.	Under 1 year.		Live Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1939 ...	48,003	26,815	1,969	25,471	17.45	9.75	9.26	41.0
1940 ...	49,382	26,143	1,927	30,364	17.78	9.41	10.93	39.0
1941 ...	51,729	27,300	2,264	29,983	18.47	9.75	10.71	43.8
1942 ...	52,647	29,219*	2,116	34,533	18.60	10.32	12.20	40.2
1943 ...	57,265	28,870*	2,072	26,302	20.04	10.10	9.20	36.2
1944 ...	59,612	26,652*	1,829	26,426	20.65	9.23	9.16	30.7
1945 ...	61,662	26,994*	1,889	25,283	21.14	9.25	8.67	30.6
1946 ...	67,247	28,579*	2,032	31,684	22.83	9.70	10.76	30.2
1947 ...	69,398	28,449*	2,069	30,172	23.25	9.53	10.11	29.8
1948 ...	67,234	30,403	2,037	30,164	22.19	10.04	9.96	30.3
1949 ...	68,812	29,364	1,878	28,757	22.10	9.43	9.23	27.3
1950 ...	71,592	30,955	1,937	30,036	22.20	9.60	9.32	27.0

\* Civilians only from 1st January, 1942, to 30th June, 1947.

## No. 6.—Marriages, New South Wales, Quarterly.

Period.	1940.	1941.	1942.	1943.	1944.	1945.	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.
METROPOLIS.											
March Qtr. ...	4,271	4,249	5,965	4,583	4,389	3,943	5,176	4,600	4,529	4,603	4,628
June " ...	4,363	4,724	6,044	4,418	4,427	4,008	5,124	4,603	4,537	4,261	4,289
Sept. " ...	4,770	3,997	4,980	3,691	3,960	3,723	4,345	3,993	3,967	3,561	3,747
Dec. " ...	5,172	5,738	5,106	4,325	4,272	4,346	4,942	4,980	4,913	4,669	4,843
Year ...	18,576	18,708	22,095	17,017	17,048	16,020	19,587	18,176	17,946	17,094	17,507
REMAINDER OF STATE.											
March Qtr. ...	2,938	2,572	3,327	2,581	2,294	2,306	3,030	3,004	3,020	2,881	3,312
June " ...	2,781	3,011	3,459	2,402	2,574	2,356	3,081	3,154	3,321	3,143	3,347
Sept. " ...	3,133	2,631	2,803	2,079	2,324	2,163	2,853	2,741	2,711	2,560	2,766
Dec. " ...	2,936	3,061	2,849	2,223	2,186	2,438	3,133	3,097	3,166	3,079	3,104
Year ...	11,788	11,275	12,438	9,285	9,378	9,263	12,097	11,996	12,218	11,663	12,529
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March Qtr. ...	7,209	6,821	9,292	7,164	6,683	6,249	8,206	7,604	7,549	7,484	7,940
June " ...	7,144	7,735	9,503	6,820	7,001	6,364	8,205	7,757	7,858	7,404	7,636
Sept. " ...	7,903	6,628	7,783	5,770	6,284	5,886	7,198	6,734	6,678	6,121	6,513
Dec. " ...	8,108	8,799	7,955	6,548	6,458	6,784	8,075	8,077	8,079	7,748	7,947
Year ...	30,364	29,983	34,533	26,302	26,426	25,283	31,684	30,172	30,164	28,757	30,036

## No. 7.—Area and Population of Municipalities and Shires as at 31st December, 1949.

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.
Metropolis—	Acres.		Hunter and Manning—	Acres.	
City of Sydney ... ..	7,161	212,360	Municipalities—		
Ashfield ... ..	2,048	42,900	Newcastle ... ..	24,238	131,770
Auburn ... ..	7,818	44,920	Cessnock ... ..	4,800	13,490
Bankstown ... ..	19,205	59,750	Dungog ... ..	2,664	2,140
Botany ... ..	4,391	29,330	Maitland ... ..	11,541	20,600
Burwood ... ..	1,797	34,390	Muswellbrook ... ..	1,971	4,150
Canterbury ... ..	8,251	108,550	Port Macquarie ... ..	3,402	3,160
Concord ... ..	2,674	30,850	Scone ... ..	1,066	2,420
Drummoyne ... ..	1,984	33,430	Singleton ... ..	715	4,060
Holroyd (Pitt and Merrylands			Taree ... ..	1,271	6,750
Wards) ... ..	2,201	15,280	Wingham ... ..	2,111	2,210
Hunter's Hill ... ..	1,416	11,910	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Hurstville ... ..	6,120	39,550	Gloucester ... ..	1,069	4,530
Kogarah ... ..	4,807	42,640	Gosford ... ..	410	21,790
Ku-ring-gai ... ..	20,235	43,880	Hastings ... ..	1,442	10,010
Lane Cove ... ..	2,566	21,660	Kearsley ... ..	791	31,250
Leichhardt ... ..	2,478	69,270	Lake Macquarie ... ..	290	47,570
Manly ... ..	3,451	34,910	Lower Hunter ... ..	202	6,350
Marrickville ... ..	3,649	82,760	Manning ... ..	1,668	13,970
Mosman ... ..	2,152	26,550	Muswellbrook ... ..	1,310	3,700
North Sydney ... ..	2,584	60,500	Patrick Plains ... ..	1,708	5,470
Parramatta ... ..	11,074	65,260	Port Stephens ... ..	391	6,800
Randwick ... ..	8,491	104,050	Stroud ... ..	1,224	6,770
Rockdale ... ..	7,012	80,180	Upper Hunter ... ..	1,553	4,970
Ryde ... ..	9,921	46,280	Wallerobba ... ..	803	4,320
Strathfield ... ..	3,464	25,180	Wyong ... ..	302	11,670
Waverley ... ..	2,222	75,340			
Willoughby ... ..	5,480	54,440	Total, Hunter and Manning	13,147	370,120
Woollahra ... ..	2,682	53,230			
Total, Metropolis	157,328	1,549,590			
Balance of Cumberland—			South Coast—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Camden (Part)* ... ..	44,849	1,150	Greater Wollongong ... ..	176,416	70,600
Campbelltown ... ..	77,043	7,850	Bega ... ..	2,204	3,150
Fairfield ... ..	23,806	32,840	Bowral ... ..	3,234	3,840
Holroyd (Guildford and Went-			Camden (Part)* ... ..	6,100	3,150
worth Wards) ... ..	7,426	13,740	Gerrington ... ..	20,110	930
Liverpool ... ..	77,546	17,620	Jamberoo ... ..	40,468	970
Penrith ... ..	96,975	14,310	Kiama ... ..	2,548	2,410
Windsor ... ..	36,250	8,410	Shellharbour ... ..	38,244	3,880
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Baulham Hills ... ..	147	12,790	Eurobodalla ... ..	1,309	5,740
Blacktown ... ..	101	26,850	Imlay ... ..	1,372	4,940
Hornsby ... ..	193	34,110	Mittagong ... ..	677	5,640
Sutherland ... ..	143	37,440	Mumbulla ... ..	965	4,250
Warringah ... ..	102	40,040	Shoalhaven ... ..	1,790	14,020
Total, Balance of Cumberland	1,260	247,150	Tallaganda ... ..	1,294	2,930
Total, Cumberland	1,506	1,796,740	Wingecarribee ... ..	532	7,830
North Coast—			Wollondilly ... ..	988	8,800
Municipalities—	Acres.		Total, South Coast	9,288	143,080
Ballina ... ..	5,756	3,330			
Casino ... ..	3,947	7,220	Northern Tableland—		
Grafton ... ..	2,578	8,840	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Grafton, South ... ..	1,379	4,090	Armidale ... ..	2,111	8,020
Kempsey ... ..	2,940	6,800	Glen Innes ... ..	17,030	5,600
Lismore ... ..	8,267	16,110	Inverell ... ..	10,370	6,720
Maclean ... ..	1,278	1,780	Tenterfield ... ..	4,685	3,140
Mullumbimby ... ..	1,103	1,730	Walcha ... ..	18,454	1,580
Ulmara ... ..	29,810	1,670	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Apsey ... ..	2,446	2,070
Bellingen ... ..	476	6,700	Dumaresq ... ..	1,673	3,970
Byron ... ..	215	9,300	Guyra ... ..	1,792	6,000
Copmanhurst ... ..	1,210	2,640	Macintyre (Part)† ... ..	564	1,330
Dorrigo ... ..	745	13,980	Severn ... ..	2,283	4,970
Gundurimba ... ..	180	4,010	Tenterfield ... ..	2,714	4,570
Harwood ... ..	329	4,780	Uralla ... ..	1,183	4,660
Kyogle ... ..	1,342	11,840	Total, Northern Tableland	12,637	52,630
Macleay ... ..	1,273	8,970			
Nambucca ... ..	557	9,020			
Nymboida ... ..	1,898	2,340			
Orara ... ..	563	1,570			
Terania ... ..	340	7,260			
Tintenbar ... ..	179	4,880			
Tomki ... ..	438	3,700			
Tweed ... ..	593	20,410			
Woodburn ... ..	541	4,450			
Total, North Coast	10,883	167,420			

\* Camden Municipality is divided between Balance of Cumberland and South Coast.

† Macintyre Shire is divided between Northern Tableland and North-Western Slope.

# No. 7.—Area and Population of Municipalities and Shires as at 31st December, 1949 (continued).

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.
Central Tableland—			Central-Western Slope—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Bathurst ... ..	2,990	12,310	Dubbo ... ..	4,194	10,120
Blue Mountains ... ..	344,698	22,070	Forbes ... ..	10,099	6,220
Cowra ... ..	5,683	5,680	Molong ... ..	6,374	1,720
Lithgow ... ..	5,095	15,020	Narromine ... ..	890	1,880
Mudgee ... ..	802	4,310	Parkes ... ..	10,704	7,330
Orange ... ..	5,152	16,400	Peak Hill ... ..	19,283	1,170
Wellington* ... ..	3,945	4,910			
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Abercrombie ... ..	801	4,020	Amaroo ... ..	772	2,310
Blaxland ... ..	1,331	9,620	Boree ... ..	871	6,370
Canobolas ... ..	636	5,740	Cobbora* ... ..	1,310	4,470
Colo ... ..	1,154	5,180	Gilgandra ... ..	1,640	4,370
Coolah ... ..	976	2,070	Goobang ... ..	2,237	6,470
Crookwell ... ..	1,328	5,880	Jemalong ... ..	1,804	3,460
Cudgegong ... ..	1,348	4,370	Talbragar ... ..	1,304	3,340
Gulgong* ... ..	734	3,430	Timbregongie ... ..	2,051	3,300
Lyndhurst ... ..	624	6,280			
Macquarie* ... ..	1,193	3,370	Total, Central-Western Slope ...	12,068	62,530
Merriwa ... ..	1,356	2,520			
Oberon ... ..	1,129	3,370	South-Western Slope—		
Rylstone ... ..	1,478	4,510	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Turon ... ..	808	7,850	Albury ... ..	8,445	15,290
Wagoolia ... ..	1,043	6,700	Cootamundra ... ..	3,010	5,610
Total, Central Tableland ...	16,716	155,610	Grenfell ... ..	3,231	2,530
			Junee ... ..	5,523	4,170
Southern Tableland—			Murrumburrah ... ..	5,125	2,690
Municipalities—	Acres.		Temora ... ..	5,303	4,340
Bombala ... ..	1,309	1,190	Wagga Wagga ... ..	5,809	16,340
Cooma ... ..	3,606	2,420	Young ... ..	3,475	4,810
Goulburn ... ..	8,588	17,080	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Queanbeyan ... ..	4,699	5,330	Bland ... ..	3,265	8,740
Yass ... ..	7,377	3,440	Boorowa ... ..	1,003	3,410
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Burrangong ... ..	1,085	4,720
Bibbenluke ... ..	1,521	2,360	Demondrille ... ..	711	2,540
Goodradigbee ... ..	1,308	3,460	Gundagai ... ..	945	4,740
Gunning ... ..	849	2,480	Holbrook ... ..	1,000	4,810
Monaro ... ..	1,879	2,320	Hume ... ..	770	2,360
Mulwaree ... ..	1,946	5,870	Illabo ... ..	781	2,150
Snowy River ... ..	2,330	3,400	Jindalee ... ..	583	2,280
Yarrowlumla ... ..	1,160	3,180	Kyeamba ... ..	1,054	5,720
Total, Southern Tableland ...	11,033	52,530	Mitchell ... ..	823	2,890
			Narraburra ... ..	1,079	3,250
North-Western Slope—			Tumbarumba ... ..	1,691	3,390
Municipalities—	Acres.		Tumut ... ..	1,449	8,980
Barraba ... ..	752	1,510	Weddin ... ..	1,319	3,100
Gunnedah ... ..	3,037	4,500	Total, South-Western Slope ...	17,561	118,860
Manilla ... ..	1,251	1,860			
Quirindi ... ..	1,720	2,730	North-Central Plain—		
Tamworth ... ..	5,644	12,730	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Moree ... ..	8,157	5,340
Ashford ... ..	2,200	3,110	Narrabri ... ..	2,429	3,500
Barraba ... ..	1,186	1,670	Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
Bingara ... ..	1,088	2,940	Booolooroo ... ..	3,204	3,150
Cockburn ... ..	1,072	4,890	Boomi ... ..	3,654	2,980
Liverpool Plains ... ..	1,999	4,310	Coonabarabran ... ..	2,963	6,870
Macintyre (Part)† ... ..	661	2,820	Namoi ... ..	5,074	8,100
Mandowla ... ..	827	1,390	Total, North-Central Plain... ..	14,912	29,940
Murrurundi ... ..	954	2,900			
Nundle ... ..	615	1,410	Central Plain—		
Peel ... ..	684	6,260	Municipalities—	Acres.	
Tamarang ... ..	1,157	2,460	Condobolin ... ..	30,180	2,660
Yallaroi ... ..	2,069	3,790	Conamable ... ..	15,188	2,680
Total, North-Western Slope ...	14,431	61,280	Nyngan ... ..	2,969	1,910
			Warren ... ..	14,800	1,810
			Shires—	Sq. Miles.	
			Bogan ... ..	4,608	1,480
			Lachlan ... ..	5,825	5,210
			Marthaguy ... ..	4,170	2,080
			Walgett ... ..	4,343	3,430
			Wingadee ... ..	4,040	3,000
			Total, Central Plain ... ..	23,143	24,260

\* From 1st January, 1950, the area comprised by the former municipality of Wellington and shires of Cobbora, Gulgong and Macquarie was reconstituted as follows:—

Shire of Gulgong, area 1,455 square miles, estimated population 5,710.

Shire of Wellington, area 1,788 square miles, estimated population 10,470.

† Macintyre Shire is divided between Northern Tableland and North Western Slope.



**No. 7.—Area and Population of Municipalities and Shires as at  
31st December, 1949 (continued).**

Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.	Municipality or Shire.	Area.	Estimated Population.
Riverina—			Western Division—		
Municipalities—	Acres.		Municipalities—	Acres.	
Corowa ... ..	10,978	2,900	Balranald ... ..	29,200	1,290
Deniliquin ... ..	32,000	3,920	Bourke ... ..	1,540	2,100
Hay ... ..	31,450	3,070	Brewarrina ... ..	3,020	860
Moama ... ..	32,153	680	Broken Hill ... ..	16,736	30,500
Narrandera ... ..	4,668	4,410	Cobar ... ..	9,437	2,080
Shires—	Sq. Miles.		Wentworth ... ..	33,956	2,680
Berrigan ... ..	791	5,080	Wilcannia ... ..	13,715	820
Carrathool ... ..	4,309	4,350		Sq. Miles.	
Comargo ... ..	1,443	970	Unincorporated Area ... ..	125,368	14,640
Coolamon ... ..	936	5,110	Total, Western Division ... ..	125,536	54,970
Coreen ... ..	829	2,610		Sq. Miles.	
Culcairn ... ..	610	4,730	Lord Howe Island ... ..	5	212
Jerilderie ... ..	1,315	1,540	Migratory ... ..	34*	7,413
Leeton ... ..	310	9,460	Total, N.S.W. ... ..	309,433	3,175,935
Lockhart ... ..	1,132	4,680			
Murray ... ..	1,621	1,990			
Murrumbidgee ... ..	1,311	650	Summary—	Sq. Miles.	
Urana ... ..	1,297	2,480	Municipalities ... ..	2,757	2,292,740
Wade ... ..	250	11,740	Shires ... ..	181,269	860,930
Wakool ... ..	2,938	3,460	Unincorporated Area in Western Division ... ..	125,368	14,640
Waradgery ... ..	3,669	600	Lord Howe Island ... ..	5	212
Windouran ... ..	1,966	480	Migratory ... ..	34*	7,413
Yanko ... ..	1,632	3,430			
Total, Riverina ... ..	26,533	78,340	Total, N.S.W. ... ..	309,433	3,175,935

\* Harbours, rivers and quarantine (not included within municipal or shire boundaries).

## No. 8.—Rainfall in New South Wales.

## (i) Principal Sheep and Wheat Districts.

(Principal Wheat Districts are marked "A.")

Division.	Actual Rainfall during Month.							Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal = 100).						
	1950.		1951.					1950.		1951.				
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
<b>Tablelands—</b>														
North ...	E ...	ins. 5.97	ins. 3.17	ins. 17.08	ins. 2.73	ins. 6.99	ins. 0.79	179	76	316	58	139	28	
Central...	W ...	6.31	0.44	7.13	2.33	2.74	1.00	203	12	185	83	96	61	
Southern ...	N ...	7.59	0.22	3.38	1.51	2.08	1.03	339	8	141	76	95	55	
	S ...	6.49	0.77	8.83	3.05	3.02	1.18	252	25	245	100	87	41	
		3.74	1.21	1.97	2.94	0.46	1.31	199	52	78	161	21	79	
<b>Western Slopes—</b>														
North ...	N ...	7.55	0.30	6.10	1.72	2.06	0.66	306	10	184	66	83	41	
Central...	A ...	8.08	0.24	3.45	2.02	1.41	0.99	321	8	122	90	61	58	
Southern ...	S ...	9.30	0.08	2.68	2.60	2.43	0.74	454	3	106	125	114	40	
	N ...	5.41	0.30	1.99	1.74	1.18	1.40	311	14	95	116	64	81	
	S ...	3.00	0.29	1.17	1.61	0.23	1.52	188	15	65	124	14	94	
		3.86	1.87	1.66	1.39	0.19	3.62	195	89	86	90	9	177	
<b>Plains—</b>														
North ...	E ...	7.96	0.52	4.49	1.57	1.41	0.26	377	19	170	71	65	18	
Central...	W ...	6.07	0.12	4.34	1.70	2.17	0.21	355	5	179	80	117	17	
Southern ...	N ...	7.61	0.25	2.82	1.98	0.95	0.57	494	13	153	128	60	37	
	S ...	4.79	0.51	1.37	0.69	0.53	0.85	368	31	82	59	37	58	
Riverina ...	E ...	1.64	1.39	0.63	1.63	0.04	1.09	133	110	53	150	3	88	
	W ...	1.43	1.07	0.44	0.94	0.08	0.77	140	103	45	111	8	88	
<b>Western Division—</b>														
Eastern ...	N ...	4.32	0.18	1.44	0.79	0.45	0.12	363	12	92	54	36	13	
Western ...	S ...	2.03	0.73	1.06	0.87	0.04	0.49	209	62	98	92	4	56	
	N ...	2.23	1.87	0.34	0.61	0.00	0.13	338	205	40	82	...	25	
	S ...	0.71	1.00	0.37	0.36	0.03	0.28	91	122	53	47	4	42	

## (ii) Principal Dairying Districts.

Division of Coast.	Actual Rainfall during Month.							Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal = 100).						
	1950.		1951.					1950.		1951.				
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
North ...	ins. 6.31	ins. 3.59	ins. 16.40	ins. 3.87	ins. 7.80	ins. 1.97	165	76	247	64	106	37		
Hunter and Manning ...	N ...	10.73	6.02	13.79	6.70	12.99	1.17	270	123	221	113	181	18	
Southern ...	S ...	10.62	4.67	16.52	3.08	7.91	1.72	319	102	358	65	151	33	
	N ...	5.88	1.08	13.13	2.52	4.00	0.93	233	30	400	83	113	28	
	S ...	4.27	0.40	10.00	6.10	3.62	0.45	171	11	248	194	89	11	
		2.60	1.62	5.13	5.90	4.61	0.59	112	55	140	187	129	20	

NOTE.—Tables 8 and 9 are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned. Normal Rainfall is based on a period ended 1929.

## No. 9.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall (New South Wales).

Normal Rainfall for each month = 100.

Month.	Sheep Districts.					Wheat Districts.				Dairying Districts. (Coastal Only).			
	N.	C.	S.	W.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.
<b>1950.</b>													
April ...	236	252	141	168	202	302	238	121	174	138	145	285	159
May ...	101	113	118	117	112	117	122	107	112	36	101	209	75
June ...	276	217	89	161	186	235	224	90	143	477	561	306	476
July ...	365	248	143	307	253	325	230	143	188	476	304	210	368
August ...	71	121	84	42	86	72	132	79	92	207	205	104	193
September ...	130	141	94	72	115	109	135	95	107	79	108	106	90
October ...	322	417	269	392	339	313	353	261	291	192	186	252	198
November ...	305	373	168	275	276	333	330	157	224	191	285	136	208
December ...	16	17	67	63	38	11	20	69	49	88	73	37	78
<b>1951.</b>													
January ...	177	145	62	80	120	143	145	56	90	240	375	183	268
February ...	77	102	134	63	101	82	88	131	114	76	72	190	90
March ...	86	72	11	20	50	65	74	9	33	125	136	113	126
April ...	39	51	94	29	59	46	53	91	75	32	31	16	30

N.—Northern; C.—Central; S.—Southern; W.—Western; T.—Total, all Districts.



## No. 10.—Area under Crop in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat (grain only).	Maize (grain only).	Oats (grain only).	Rice.	Sugar-cane cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Total Area of All Crops.
				acres.				
1940 ...	4,380,595	115,856	405,262	24,120	10,488	706,599	19,232	6,381,531
1941 ...	4,453,963	142,147	236,910	24,547	10,192	715,625	17,836	6,374,354
1942 ...	3,968,758	117,262	303,860	23,633	8,491	714,142	17,685	5,920,561
1943 ...	3,032,946	103,591	431,299	34,232	9,732	736,157	24,488	5,297,313
1944 ...	2,693,302	103,237	374,205	40,690	8,240	534,470	30,067	4,797,385
1945 ...	2,844,804	94,107	544,364	24,596	6,771	585,829	34,706	5,044,792
1946 ...	3,773,901	92,416	617,070	28,372	5,943	750,714	22,865	6,087,566
1947 ...	4,474,894	110,038	557,987	31,995	7,503	542,470	21,399	6,511,493
1948 ...	5,043,017	86,979	609,207	26,208	7,113	618,509	21,911	7,168,068
1949 ...	4,038,447	77,820	378,257	32,689	8,386	366,668	18,101	5,711,369
1950 ...	4,011,744	72,872	374,729	37,540	8,517	328,734	23,369	5,670,364

## No. 11.—Production of Crops in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Total Value of All Crops to Producers.
		thousand bushels.				thousand tons.		£thous.
1940 ...	76,552	2,833	6,904	1,858	275	966	41	21,254
1941 ...	23,933	4,044	1,995	2,240	343	617	50	14,279
1942 ...	48,500	3,142	4,118	2,102	359	715	39	20,308
1943 ...	51,693	2,815	7,338	3,084	338	986	65	29,144
1944 ...	47,500	2,769	7,050	4,015	290	736	66	32,750
1945 ...	17,134	2,437	7,757	1,693	200	371	81	21,995
1946 ...	62,520	2,561	9,997	2,735	166	980	62	44,719
1947 ...	15,682	2,507	2,046	2,978	310	376	61	26,150
1948 ...	95,227	2,357	13,674	2,676	267	966	66	87,764†
1949 ...	64,704	2,476	5,779	2,739	274	486	61	49,150*
1950 ...	81,939	2,408	7,016	3,783	331	482	69	68,491*

\* Subject to revision. † Revised.

## No. 12.—Average Yield and Value per acre of Crops in N.S.W.

Season ended March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Rice.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Value per Acre of All Crops.
		bushels.				tons.		£ s. d.
1940 ...	17.5	24.5	17.0	77	26.2	1.37	2.11	3 6 7
1941 ...	5.4	28.4	8.4	91	33.6	0.86	2.83	2 4 10
1942 ...	12.2	26.8	13.6	93	42.3	1.00	2.18	3 8 7
1943 ...	17.0	27.2	17.0	90	34.7	1.34	2.64	5 10 0
1944 ...	17.6	26.8	18.8	99	35.2	1.38	2.18	6 16 6
1945 ...	6.0	25.9	3.2	69	29.5	0.63	2.32	4 7 2
1946 ...	16.6	27.7	16.2	96	27.9	1.31	2.70	7 6 11
1947 ...	3.5	22.8	3.7	93	40.9	0.69	2.88	4 0 4
1948 ...	18.9	27.1	22.4	102	37.6	1.56	2.99	12 4 10†
1949 ...	16.0	31.8	15.3	84	32.7	1.33	3.38	8 12 1*
1950 ...	20.4	33.0	18.7	101	38.8	1.46	2.97	12 1 7*

\* Subject to revision. † Revised.

## No. 13.—Wheat Production in N.S.W.

Season.	Area under Wheat.				Yield of Wheat and Wheaten Hay.			
	For Grain.	For Hay.	Fed Off.	Total.	Wheat.		Wheaten Hay.	
					Total.	per Acre.	Total.	per Acre.
				acres.		bushels.		tons.
1943-44 ...	2,693,302	198,066	83,700	2,975,068	47,500,000	17.6	245,505	1.26
1944-45 ...	2,844,804	279,120	50,334	3,174,258	17,133,870	6.0	182,760	0.65
1945-46 ...	3,773,901	389,918	49,612	4,213,431	62,320,000	16.6	499,432	1.28
1946-47 ...	4,474,894	263,557	34,527	4,772,978	15,682,230	3.5	145,088	0.55
1947-48 ...	5,043,017	278,361	33,791	5,355,169	95,226,795	18.9	414,329	1.49
1948-49 ...	4,038,447	160,693	43,829	4,242,969	64,703,574	16.0	187,332	1.17
1949-50 ...	4,011,744	122,295	39,818	4,173,857	81,939,000	20.4	162,935	1.33
1950-51* ...	3,361,000	74,000	67,000	3,502,000	44,000,000	13.1	81,000	1.09

\* Preliminary estimate.

## No. 14.—Live Stock in N.S.W.

At 31st March.	Horses.	Cattle. *			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Cows in Registered Dairies.	All Other.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1940 ...	534,837	1,068,999	1,693,654	2,762,653	54,372,000	451,064
1941 ...	531,776	1,054,770	1,714,291	2,769,061	55,568,000	507,738
1942 ...	525,697	1,055,172	1,823,278	2,878,450	56,737,000	454,102
1943 ...	483,277	1,054,511	1,976,035	3,030,546	56,043,000	486,960
1944 ...	465,672	1,043,273	2,100,105	3,143,378	56,837,000	561,294
1945 ..	436,443	1,035,991	2,108,710	3,144,701	46,662,000	523,917
1946 ...	403,645	1,021,087	2,095,747	3,116,834	44,076,000	432,612
1947 ...	379,774	967,909	2,015,184	2,983,093	43,105,000	358,417
1948 ...	376,043	965,201	2,164,539	3,129,740	46,065,000	365,171
1949 ...	357,764	970,585	2,282,167	3,252,752	50,404,000	375,212
1950 ...	342,479	981,371	2,459,090	3,440,461	53,298,000	333,198

\* Further details are shown in the following table.

## No. 15.—Cattle in Registered Dairies and Beef Cattle in N.S.W.

Classification.	At 31st March.					
	1945.	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.
In Registered Dairies—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Cows in milk ...	626,272	594,809	592,385	592,320	594,860	587,735
Cows, dry ...	196,885	192,083	170,035	173,174	175,841	182,785
Heifers (1 year and over) ...	212,834	234,195	205,489	199,707	199,884	210,851
Total cows (registered dairies) ...	1,035,991	1,021,087	967,909	965,201	970,585	981,371
Calves (under 1 year) ...	189,777	151,946	148,037	154,167	163,018	162,067
Bulls ...	25,767	25,281	24,404	23,846	24,024	24,097
Total cattle (reg'd. dairies) ...	1,251,535	1,198,314	1,140,350	1,143,214	1,157,627	1,167,535
Other milking cows (dry and in milk) ...	119,165	118,335	130,931	144,820	152,595	158,202
Beef Cattle—						
Cows and heifers (1 year and over) ...	804,365	824,581	782,755	843,350	894,303	987,139
Calves (under 1 year) ...	403,844	370,752	409,677	422,182	487,478	511,332
Bulls ...	33,445	34,284	33,213	34,001	36,862	39,023
Bullocks, steers, etc. ...	532,347	570,568	486,167	542,173	523,887	576,330
Total, beef cattle... ..	1,774,001	1,800,185	1,711,812	1,841,706	1,942,530	2,114,724
Total, all cattle ... ..	3,144,701	3,116,834	2,983,093	3,129,740	3,252,752	3,440,461

## No. 16.—Sheep—Lambing, Slaughtering, Exports and Deaths in N.S.W.

Season.	Lambs Marked.	Sheep and Lambs Slaughtered.	Net Movement of Sheep to (—) and from (+) Other States.	Approximate Number of Deaths on Holdings.	Sheep at 31st March.
			thousands.		
1935-40 ...	15,674	6,887	(—) 44	3,248	54,372
1940-41 ...	14,014	8,167	(—) 664	3,987	55,568
1941-42 ...	14,616	8,115	(—) 1,432	3,900	56,737
1942-43 ...	13,627	9,299	(—) 772	4,250	56,043
1943-44 ...	15,068	9,476	(—) 798	4,000	56,837
1944-45 ...	11,069	8,865	(—) 1,009	11,370	46,662
1945-46 ..	9,894	7,601	(+) 393	5,272	44,076
1946-47 ...	11,240	7,137	(—) 628	4,446	43,105
1947-48 ..	12,861	6,189	(—) 302	3,410	46,065
1948-49 ...	13,770	6,231	(+) 42	3,242	50,404
1949-50 ...	13,280	6,676	(—) 828	2,882	53,298

## No. 17.—Sheep and Lambs shorn and Quantity of Wool produced in N.S.W.

Season.	Sheep and Lambs Shorn.	Average Clip (Greasy).*	Weight of Wool Produced (as in the grease).				
			Shorn and Crutched.	Dead.	Fell-mongered.	Exported on Skins.	Total Production.
	thousands.	lb.			thousand lb.		
1939-40 ...	54,637	9·1	497,356	1,095	32,751	15,071	546,273
1940-41 ...	57,704	8·4	484,012	1,327	46,019	5,550	536,908
1941-42 ...	58,537	8·5	497,446	1,126	41,964	6,464	547,000
1942-43 ...	57,654	7·8	448,968	1,278	44,500	4,792	497,538
1943-44 ...	57,318	8·6	490,331	883	39,816	6,380	537,410
1944-45 ...	52,268	7·6	398,598	1,164	38,261	10,660	448,683
1945-46 ..	45,402	8·5	386,724	1,204	31,647	11,974	431,549
1946-47 ...	43,119	8·9	383,692	1,246	27,076	20,607	434,621
1947-48 ...	43,691	8·7	382,142	516	19,947	19,655	422,260
1948-49 ...	48,107	8·8	422,591	442	21,236	18,939	463,208
1949-50 ...	53,600	8·8	469,987	472	21,823	22,761	515,043

\* Sheep and lambs; including crutchings.

## No. 18.—Production of Milk, Butter, Cheese and Bacon in N.S.W.—Annually.

Year ended 30th June.	Total Milk (all purposes).	Butter.*			Cheese.			Bacon and Ham.†		
		Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.
	mill. gal.	thousand lb.			thousand lb.			thousand lb.		
1940 ...	314·7	112,020	4,794	116,814	6,634	170	6,804	21,519	417	21,936
1941 ...	308·0	103,782	4,781	108,563	6,412	58	6,470	25,522	492	26,014
1942 ...	280·0	85,116	4,107	89,223	5,225	37	5,262	28,319	504	28,823
1943 ...	303·5	93,775	4,500	98,275	5,146	119	5,265	29,430	485	29,915
1944 ...	297·2	87,857	4,500	92,357	5,374	151	5,525	29,852	485	30,337
1945 ...	262·9	71,722	4,500	76,222	4,400	92	4,492	43,846	485	44,331
1946 ...	278·9	74,280	4,000	78,280	4,858	110	4,968	37,494	144	37,638
1947 ...	254·1	60,385	4,000	64,385	4,545	4	4,549	33,119	149	33,268
1948 ...	295·4	76,066	4,000	80,066	5,909	10	5,919	29,667	137	29,804
1949 ...	291·9	74,519	4,273	78,792	5,577	4	5,581	26,941	147	27,088
1950 ...	311·6	82,469	4,537	87,006	6,333	1	6,334	25,630	139	25,769

\* Including butter made from cream received from other States.

† Exclusive of bacon made from green bacon imported interstate.

## No. 19.—Butter and Cheese Produced in Factories in N.S.W.—Quarterly.

Year.	Butter.					Cheese.				
	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Year (ended June).	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Year (ended June).
	thousand lb.					thousand lb.				
1938-39 ...	16,239	34,854	32,670	30,078	113,841	883	2,474	1,976	1,860	7,193
1945-46 ...	12,301	23,764	24,790	13,425	74,280	844	1,801	1,499	714	4,858
1946-47 ...	8,653	15,888	21,821	14,023	60,385	672	1,447	1,525	901	4,545
1947-48 ...	9,862	23,950	28,272	13,982	76,066	762	2,009	2,289	849	5,909
1948-49 ...	10,759	23,100	25,898	14,762	74,519	773	1,938	1,821	1,045	5,577
1949-50 ...	12,094	29,232	26,617	14,526	82,469	868	2,560	1,956	949	6,333
1950-51* ...	11,325	28,612	26,488	...	...	911	2,906	2,314	...	...

\* Subject to revision.

## No. 20.—Minerals Won in New South Wales.

(Source: N.S.W. Department of Mines.)

Mineral.		Quantity.			Value.		
		1939.	1948.	1949.	1939.	1948.	1949.
Gold ... ..	oz. fine	87,189	52,164	51,793	£ 848,985	£ 561,415	£ 638,994
Silver ... ..	oz. fine	76,425	105,314	99,158	7,021	24,575	25,442
Silver-lead ore, concentrates, etc.	ton	306,225	228,590	220,046	3,539,419	16,643,612	14,307,904
Zinc (metal and concentrates) ...	"	278,540	259,260	257,040	252,102	2,613,822	3,438,949
Copper (ingots, matte and ore) ...	"	1,925	2,515	2,453	105,047	377,250	433,363
Tin (ingots, ore and concentrates)...	"	1,291	532	431	366,138	302,045	261,067
Iron oxide ... ..	"	59	9,429	10,333	73	9,391	10,149
Coal* ... ..	"	11,195,832	11,721,446	10,736,038	7,027,035	14,938,182	16,384,802
Shale (oil) ... ..	"	7,683	136,352	120,956	13,322	204,522	181,437
Limestone flux ... ..	"	254,606	78,666	58,782	49,740	34,311	29,130
Magnesite ... ..	"	24,809	30,601	30,991	84,217	50,486	60,287
All other Minerals ... ..	"	...	...	...	186,354	735,851	600,287
Quarry Products† ... ..	"	...	...	...	1,478,519	1,749,426	2,514,699
Total ... ..	...	...	...	...	13,908,332	38,244,892	38,886,570

\* Source—quantity, 1948 and 1949, Joint Coal Board; value, returns under Census Act.

† Includes clays (brick, tile, pipe, etc.), building materials (granite, marble, etc.), road materials and gravels.

## No. 21.—Coal Production, N.S.W. Fields.

(Source: Joint Coal Board.)

Period.	Northern.		Western.		Southern.		All Fields, N.S.W.		
	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Under-ground.	Open Cut.	Total.
thousand tons.									
1942—Year ... ..	8,302	...	1,587	56	2,261	...	12,150	56	12,206
1943— " ... ..	7,824	...	1,439	60	2,150	...	11,413	60	11,473
1944— " ... ..	7,324	11	1,533	169	2,006	...	10,863	180	11,043
1945— " ... ..	6,441	334	1,437	189	1,775	...	9,653	523	10,176
1946— " ... ..	7,177	513	1,515	243	1,738	...	10,430	756	11,186
1947— " ... ..	7,325	554	1,483	405	1,916	...	10,724	959	11,683
1948— " ... ..	7,146	635	1,398	620	1,922	...	10,466	1,255	11,721
1949— " ... ..	6,191	629	1,289	719	1,908	...	9,388	1,348	10,736
1950— " ... ..	7,395	932	1,407	661	2,395	8	11,197	1,601	12,798
1950—March Quarter ... ..	1,697	201	330	141	479	...	2,506	342	2,848
June " ... ..	1,825	200	359	168	581	...	2,765	368	3,133
Sept. " ... ..	1,916	260	379	187	678	2	2,973	449	3,422
Dec. " ... ..	1,957	271	339	165	657	6	2,953	442	3,395
1951—March " ... ..	1,319	223	263	146	475	3	2,057	372	2,429

## No. 22.—Factories in New South Wales—Summary.

Particulars.	1938-39.	1944-45.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.
Establishments ... ..	9,464	11,359	12,287	13,961	15,194	16,087	16,346
Persons Employed, Average*—							
Males ... ..	167,172	223,770	227,454	255,733	272,600	282,312	284,055
Females ... ..	61,609	90,908	83,416	87,386	90,765	96,068	98,330
Total ... ..	228,781	314,678	310,870	343,119	363,365	378,380	382,385
Proportion of Total Employees—	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
Males ... ..	73·07	71·11	73·17	74·53	75·02	74·61	74·29
Females ... ..	26·93	28·89	26·83	25·47	24·98	25·39	25·71
Book Value of—	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.	£thous.
Land, Buildings ... ..	57,354	81,059	80,308	81,895	91,860	101,241	110,578
Plant and Machinery ... ..	62,693	73,039	72,561	75,234	86,714	99,812	113,864
Value of Materials and Fuel used	128,153	227,784	213,913	259,401	309,871	358,525	410,002
" " Output ... ..	218,419	387,659	367,092	445,947	528,482	609,724	693,203
" " Production† ... ..	90,266	159,875	153,179	186,546	218,611	251,199	283,201
Salaries and Wages Paid‡—							
Males ... ..	38,272	73,935	73,380	87,123	106,028	123,263	135,875
Females ... ..	6,334	15,308	14,267	16,465	19,318	23,273	26,272
Total ... ..	44,606	89,243	87,647	103,588	125,346	146,536	162,147
Average Salary and Wages†—	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Males ... ..	238 15	342 17	335 7	355 0	405 15	455 18	499 6
Females ... ..	103 13	169 16	172 13	191 10	215 3	245 0	270 5
Total .. ..	201 13	291 17	290 15	312 3	357 0	401 1	439 1

\* Average during whole year, including working proprietors. † The value of production is determined by deducting from value of output at the factory the value of raw materials, containers, fuel, water, oil, etc. used, tools replaced and repairs to plant and machinery. Depreciation is not deducted. ‡ Excluding amounts drawn by working proprietors.

NOTE.—A "factory" is defined as an establishment where four or more persons are employed or power is used.

## No. 23.—Government and Private Factories in New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Government Factories.*			Private Factories.		
	Persons Employed. †	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Net Value of Production. ‡	Persons Employed. †	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Net Value of Production. ‡
	No.	£ thousand.	£ thousand.	No.	£ thousand.	£ thousand.
1939 ... ..	16,206	4,098	5,618	215,594	40,508	84,648
1940 ... ..	17,226	4,529	6,310	222,126	43,164	90,299
1941 ... ..	21,230	5,999	8,118	246,650	51,761	106,926
1942 ... ..	28,411	9,244	12,084	273,709	66,513	126,706
1943 ... ..	38,251	13,288	16,717	280,066	75,612	136,865
1944 ... ..	40,665	14,034	17,266	285,491	79,484	145,460
1945 ... ..	33,989	11,866	14,873	283,198	77,377	145,002
1946 ... ..	29,162	9,494	12,500	286,612	78,153	140,679
1947 ... ..	28,025	9,408	12,232	319,559	94,180	174,314
1948 ... ..	29,930	12,152	15,760	336,920	113,194	202,851
1949 ... ..	30,944	13,633	17,716	351,076	132,903	233,483
1950 ... ..	31,403	15,074	19,236	357,112	147,073	263,965

\* Factories and workshops owned and operated by State and Commonwealth Governments (including railway workshops, printing offices, munition factories, etc., but excluding annexes operated by private companies on behalf of the Government).

† Average weekly during period of operation, including working proprietors.

‡ See note † Table 22.

## No. 24.—Factories—Employment and Production by Classes of Industry—N.S.W.

Class of Industry.	Persons Employed.*			Net Value of Production.†		
	Year ended 30th June.			Year ended 30th June.		
	1948.	1949.	1950.	1948.	1949.	1950.
	£ thousand.					
Treatment of Non-metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products ...	5,956	6,478	6,763	4,077	4,690	5,627
Bricks, Pottery and Glass, etc. ... ..	9,845	10,434	10,504	5,293	6,075	6,989
Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paint, Oil and Grease ... ..	14,914	16,004	16,316	14,177	17,605	22,191
Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements and Conveyances ...	153,367	156,844	157,987	90,897	101,617	113,059
Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate ... ..	2,183	2,190	2,212	1,050	1,179	1,351
Textiles and Textile Goods (not dress) ... ..	21,759	22,816	23,428	11,554	12,832	14,956
Skins and Leather (not clothing or footwear) ... ..	6,374	6,464	6,418	3,601	4,156	4,788
Clothing ... ..	46,747	49,202	48,063	17,997	21,732	23,260
Food, Drink and Tobacco ... ..	37,541	38,899	39,979	27,407	32,722	34,573
Woodworking and Basketware ... ..	17,030	18,452	18,678	9,252	11,101	12,803
Furniture, Bedding, etc. ... ..	7,098	7,770	8,004	3,622	4,418	5,219
Paper, Stationery, Printing, Bookbinding, etc. ... ..	20,979	22,359	23,081	13,379	15,812	16,345
Rubber ... ..	5,037	5,688	5,915	2,497	3,198	3,723
Musical Instruments ... ..	657	948	1,155	304	468	561
Miscellaneous ... ..	8,904	8,612	8,547	5,140	5,212	5,730
Heat, Light and Power ... ..	4,974	5,220	5,335	8,364	8,322	9,026
Total ... ..	363,365	378,380	382,385	218,611	251,199	283,261

\* Average during whole year, including working proprietors. † See note † Table 22.



## No. 25.—Factories—Employees\* by Classes of Industry, Monthly—N.S.W.

Month.	Bricks, Cement, Glass, etc.	Chemicals, Oils, Paints, etc.	Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	Textiles and Knitted Goods.	Clothing and Footwear.	Food, Drink, Tobacco.	Sawmills, Wood- working, Furniture, etc.	Paper, Printing, etc.	Other Factories.	All Factories. †
MALES (thousands).										
1939—June	11.8	5.2	75.9	5.6	6.9	17.5	13.4	11.3	12.1	159.7
1941—June	12.4	6.8	106.6	7.8	7.6	18.7	14.7	11.3	14.2	200.1
1943—June	8.4	7.0	135.0	6.8	6.6	18.4	13.8	8.7	14.2	218.9
1945—June	9.1	8.3	124.2	6.8	7.3	20.4	14.3	9.9	14.5	214.8
1946—June	12.7	9.6	124.6	8.9	9.2	23.5	16.5	13.1	18.2	236.3
1947—June	14.2	9.7	131.5	9.8	10.9	23.2	18.5	14.3	20.0	252.1
1948—June	14.8	10.7	137.4	10.1	11.2	24.4	20.7	14.6	21.3	265.2
1949—June†	14.7	11.3	130.6	9.3	11.1	24.8	19.9	14.9	20.8	257.4
1950—June	16.8	11.6	143.5	9.6	11.4	25.6	21.0	15.5	22.2	277.2
Oct.	16.5	11.7	145.3	9.6	11.5	25.6	20.6	15.8	21.9	278.5
Nov.	16.9	11.9	144.8	9.7	11.5	25.9	20.7	15.7	21.7	278.8
Dec.	16.8	12.0	144.3	9.7	11.5	26.5	20.6	15.5	21.5	278.4
1951—Jan.	16.9	12.1	145.8	9.8	11.4	26.5	20.6	15.7	21.6	280.4
Feb.	17.0	12.1	145.2	9.8	11.5	26.8	20.8	15.6	21.6	280.4
Mar.	17.1	12.1	145.0	9.8	11.4	26.2	20.7	15.3	21.7	279.3

## FEMALES (thousands).

1939—June	0.4	2.7	4.9	9.2	22.8	9.4	1.6	5.3	3.6	59.9
1941—June	0.8	3.4	9.1	12.5	24.7	10.6	1.8	5.7	5.1	73.7
1943—June	0.9	4.1	27.8	13.7	22.9	12.2	1.7	5.9	5.4	94.6
1945—June	0.8	4.0	21.2	11.5	25.9	11.2	1.6	5.7	5.0	86.9
1946—June	0.7	4.4	13.6	10.8	28.9	10.8	1.8	5.6	5.7	82.3
1947—June	0.7	4.4	13.6	11.4	31.9	10.6	1.9	6.1	5.9	86.5
1948—June	0.8	4.4	14.5	11.7	33.6	10.7	2.0	6.1	6.4	90.2
1949—June†	0.9	4.3	14.6	11.1	32.6	10.7	2.2	6.0	6.3	88.7
1950—June	1.1	4.7	18.0	12.9	33.3	11.3	2.4	6.6	6.9	97.2
Oct.	1.2	4.7	18.2	13.2	34.4	11.4	2.4	6.9	7.1	99.5
Nov.	1.1	4.8	18.5	13.4	34.6	11.5	2.4	7.0	7.1	100.4
Dec.	1.1	4.6	18.3	13.3	34.0	11.7	2.4	6.9	6.9	99.2
1951—Jan.	1.1	4.7	18.3	13.0	33.3	11.6	2.3	6.8	6.6	97.7
Feb.	1.1	4.8	18.7	13.3	33.7	12.4	2.4	6.9	6.7	100.0
Mar.	1.1	4.8	18.8	13.2	33.9	12.0	2.4	6.9	6.7	99.8

## PERSONS (thousands).

1939—June	12.2	7.9	80.8	14.8	29.7	26.9	15.0	16.6	15.7	219.6
1941—June	13.2	10.2	115.7	20.3	32.3	29.3	16.5	17.0	19.3	273.8
1943—June	9.3	11.1	162.8	20.5	29.5	30.6	15.5	14.6	19.6	313.5
1945—June	9.9	12.3	145.4	18.3	33.2	31.6	15.9	15.6	19.5	301.7
1946—June	13.4	14.0	138.2	19.7	38.1	34.3	18.3	18.7	23.9	318.6
1947—June	14.9	14.1	145.1	21.2	42.8	33.8	20.4	20.4	25.9	338.6
1948—June	15.6	15.1	151.9	21.8	44.8	35.1	22.7	20.7	27.7	355.4
1949—June†	15.6	15.6	145.2	20.4	43.7	35.5	22.1	20.9	27.1	346.1
1950—June	17.9	16.3	161.5	22.5	44.7	36.9	23.4	22.1	29.1	374.4
Oct.	17.7	16.4	163.5	22.8	45.9	37.0	23.0	22.7	29.0	378.0
Nov.	18.0	16.7	163.3	23.1	46.1	37.4	23.1	22.7	28.8	379.2
Dec.	17.9	16.6	162.6	23.0	45.5	38.2	23.0	22.4	28.4	377.6
1951—Jan.	18.0	16.8	164.1	22.8	44.7	38.1	22.9	22.5	28.2	378.1
Feb.	18.1	16.9	163.9	23.1	45.2	39.2	23.2	22.5	28.3	380.4
Mar.	18.2	16.9	163.8	23.0	45.3	38.2	23.1	22.2	28.4	379.1

\* Excludes Working Proprietors. From July, 1949 subject to revision. † See also Table 84.

† Affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions. See note (2) above Table 8g.

## No. 26.—Factories—Number of Employees\* by Ages, N.S.W.

Mid-June.	Under 16 years.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.	21 years and over.	Total.
MALES.								
1939 ...	5,759	...	...	31,923	...	...	122,041	159,723
1946 ...	2,451	5,110	6,233	7,273	5,892	5,581	203,801	230,341
1947 ...	2,186	5,299	6,244	6,963	6,524	5,997	218,916	258,129
1948 ...	2,125	4,702	6,037	6,555	6,493	6,392	232,867	265,171
1949 ...	2,115	4,472	5,412	6,316	6,204	6,436	239,643	270,598
1950† ...	2,088	4,211	5,156	5,715	5,938	6,263	252,500	281,871
FEMALES.								
1939 ...	7,084	...	...	24,289	...	...	28,529	59,902
1946 ...	2,265	4,032	4,667	5,091	4,747	4,816	56,701	82,319
1947 ...	2,094	4,097	4,807	5,205	4,803	4,501	61,008	86,515
1948 ...	1,831	3,696	4,729	5,292	5,012	4,599	65,074	90,233
1949 ...	1,736	3,432	4,320	5,354	5,070	4,769	69,649	94,330
1950† ...	1,584	3,143	3,892	4,075	4,754	4,607	77,175	99,830
PERSONS.								
1939 ...	12,843	...	...	56,212	...	...	150,570	219,625
1946 ...	4,716	9,142	10,900	12,364	10,639	10,397	260,502	318,660
1947 ...	4,280	9,396	11,051	12,168	11,327	10,498	279,924	338,644
1948 ...	3,956	8,398	10,766	11,847	11,505	10,991	297,941	355,404
1949 ...	3,851	7,904	9,732	11,670	11,274	11,205	309,292	364,928
1950† ...	3,672	7,354	9,048	10,390	10,692	10,870	329,675	381,701

\* Excludes working proprietors. † Revised.

## No. 27.—Factories—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales.

Article.		Quantity.			Value at Works.		
		1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.
Food and Drink.							
Aerated Waters	gal.	16,155,464	18,234,168	21,421,566	1,693,714	1,966,506	2,422,602
Bacon and Ham†	lb.	29,667,000	26,940,662	25,630,471	*	*	*
Beer and Stout	gal.	45,626,466	54,104,066	54,704,328	4,320,734	5,107,506	5,213,262
Biscuits (Including Ice Cream Cones)	lb.	49,061,114	54,369,416	61,918,928	2,132,760	2,740,906	3,408,897
Bread (2-lb. loaves)	thous.	197,749	230,466	231,689	4,853,511	6,096,645	6,309,925
Butter	lb.	76,066,426	74,518,519	82,469,478	7,002,793	8,016,997	9,305,183
Confectionery	lb.	62,695,795	63,690,269	61,133,814	5,077,898	6,848,950	6,871,640
Cordials, Syrups and Fruit Juices	gal.	1,956,214	1,899,722	2,008,901	783,436	782,331	835,375
Flour	tons (2,000 lb.)	533,975	646,199	577,482	7,940,000	10,530,000	9,580,000
Ice Cream	gal.	5,851,895	6,953,982	7,539,683	1,470,167	1,874,563	2,089,051
Jams and Preserves—							
Jams	lb.	58,977,654	32,103,721	34,549,438	2,079,808	1,240,478	1,363,643
Preserved Fruit...	lb.	30,556,132	29,675,858	31,748,305	1,137,458	1,140,271	1,274,010
Preserved Vegetables	lb.	25,480,192	24,479,546	32,264,737	1,282,431	1,198,565	1,721,430
Margarine—Table	lb.	5,177,365	13,558,795	8,457,096	313,738	945,160	621,212
—Other	lb.	27,937,510	33,597,552	38,241,559	958,663	1,424,916	1,523,357
Meat, Tinned	lb.	18,056,645	13,514,979	13,911,003	1,057,813	1,016,522	1,078,474
Milk—Condensed	lb.	4,851,342	1,741,051	3,496,411	170,418	61,954	145,298
Concentrated	lb.	20,633,405	18,241,484	20,979,649	470,678	485,094	592,503
Other Processed Whole Milk Products	lb.	20,990,525	24,884,994	26,739,142	1,515,134	2,082,403	2,400,514
Sauces...	pints	11,544,045	10,781,289	12,830,989	764,653	853,989	1,071,624
Sugar—Icing	lb.	28,236,194	28,932,620	31,372,361	*	*	*
Raw	tons	33,500	33,003	40,706	*	*	*
Textiles and Clothing.							
Boots and Shoes	pairs	6,249,862	6,116,851	6,024,075	5,422,680	6,148,620	6,737,610
Cardigans and Sweaters, Knitted	doz.	163,984	210,454	215,928	969,513	1,372,931	1,739,706
Cloth (Woven Piece Goods)—							
Of Cotton	sq. yds.	10,391,128	10,796,136	11,914,731	1,836,126	2,364,593	3,592,258
Of Wool	sq. yds.	15,273,361	14,211,559	12,617,051	5,174,361	6,294,422	7,936,947
Of Wool and Cotton Mixture	sq. yds.	*	658,374	594,294	*	173,859	278,537
Of Rayon and Rayon Mixture	sq. yds.	*	5,537,119	4,523,699	*	1,518,711	1,888,193
Handkerchiefs	doz.	1,612,791	1,724,761	1,569,213	*	*	*
Hats and Caps	No.	3,743,328	3,915,636	3,436,104	*	*	*
Socks and Stockings...	doz. pairs	800,641	762,507	758,409	1,436,807	1,457,950	1,761,345
Yarn—Cotton (incl. Wool and Cotton Mix.)	lb.	12,296,733	12,481,610	12,571,057	*	*	*
Woolen	lb.	4,040,588	3,940,378	3,877,743	*	*	*
Worsted (incl. Worst. and Rayon Mix.)	lb.	8,597,084	8,428,684	7,914,198	*	*	*
Building Materials.							
Asbestos Cement Building Sheets	sq. yds.	9,017,765	8,695,438	8,634,202	970,131	996,827	1,075,325
Bricks—Clay	thous.	303,221	314,323	300,356	1,727,911	2,029,474	2,144,719
Cement—Portland Grey	tons	441,023	465,354	554,666	1,469,948	1,825,481	2,421,276
Fibrous Plaster Sheets	sq. yds.	3,984,544	4,415,415	4,170,640	618,846	841,034	854,085
Paint—Ready Mixed	gal.	2,095,303	2,251,803	2,591,817	2,458,571	2,746,400	3,075,688
Plywood	sq. ft. (¾-in. basis)	23,726,205	25,572,322	28,008,343	529,535	655,694	726,647
Tiles, Roofing—Terra Cotta	thous.	21,594	22,783	22,124	460,943	556,612	589,255
Cement	thous.	2,841	5,652	8,362	79,311	172,957	280,350
Timber, Sawn—Native Softwood	thous. s. ft.	83,921	89,307	70,513	*	*	*
Native Hardwood...	thous. s. ft.	248,671	264,379	270,630	*	*	*
Fuel and Power.							
Coke	tons	1,951,526	1,723,852	1,738,008	3,864,917	4,441,086	5,174,566
Electric Light and Power	thous. kWh.	3,546,344	3,717,030	3,758,004	11,237,478	13,101,955	14,720,183
Gas	thous. cub. ft.	18,092,738	18,151,045	17,845,955	3,150,465	3,664,920	3,874,608
Motor Spirit (Incl. Benzol)	gal.	45,917,088	58,395,521	67,100,772	2,772,031	3,968,927	5,303,507
Metal Manufactures.							
† Iron and Steel—							
Pig Iron	tons	1,029,998	899,160	970,617	4,342,244	4,705,569	5,587,871
Steel Ingots	tons	1,343,153	1,175,922	1,213,786	8,444,210	8,843,525	10,004,114
Rails, Bars and Sections	tons	1,116,187	1,005,540	1,020,614	16,681,798	16,456,331	18,357,725
Fabricated Structural Steel	tons	60,924	54,764	53,113	2,898,021	3,099,539	3,454,947
Motor Bodies (excl. Cabins and Conversions)	No.	3,240	4,341	6,646	1,060,897	1,351,795	1,562,230
Refrigerators	No.	69,434	86,636	93,345	3,947,206	5,329,727	6,456,171
Telegraph and Telephone Equipment	No.	*	*	*	1,444,350	2,176,240	3,105,749
Vacuum Cleaners (Electric-Domestic)	No.	40,307	25,351	29,145	391,302	286,795	352,977
Wireless Receiving Sets (Complete)	No.	213,400	177,393	192,179	3,038,057	2,783,445	3,431,691
Miscellaneous.							
Batteries—Wet Cell	No.	737,983	734,357	928,838	1,440,181	1,480,947	2,145,954
Furniture—Iron and Steel	No.	*	*	*	761,630	984,173	1,211,615
Wood	No.	*	*	*	4,678,930	5,505,703	6,320,317
Handbags, Ladies—Leather	No.	724,270	664,075	623,430	963,421	1,017,554	1,026,140
Plastic...	No.	135,365	362,181	438,055	171,497	386,736	420,004
Ice	tons	457,230	457,181	446,478	945,674	965,785	938,973
Leather—Sold by Weight	lb.	13,021,995	13,453,343	12,445,109	1,105,085	1,220,427	1,118,547
Sold by Area	sq. ft.	39,993,694	37,281,724	35,423,641	2,373,844	2,677,174	2,761,886
Soap (Including Powders)	cwt.	840,018	945,653	993,131	3,320,677	4,286,431	4,705,270
Tobacco	lb.	12,849,225	12,568,069	12,874,251	5,868,720	6,237,052	6,470,952
Cigarettes	lb.	6,715,672	6,130,538	6,470,506	5,112,715	4,672,205	4,973,241
Tyres—New	No.	870,346	886,065	1,036,152	3,875,927	4,433,702	5,583,518
Retreaded and Recapped	No.	353,406	361,719	393,042	*	*	*

\* Not available.

† Excludes bacon and ham made from interstate imports of green bacon.

‡ Year ended 31st May.

## No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales.

## Quantities of Certain Articles Manufactured and Mined.

The following statistics of production are obtained principally by means of returns collected monthly from producers by the Government Statistician of N.S.W. in conjunction with the Commonwealth Statistician.

Particulars in this table have been revised since last issue on the basis of annual returns for 1949-50. Monthly figures from July, 1950, are still subject to revision.

## FOOD AND DRINK.

Period.	Butter. *	Cheese. *	Processed Whole Milk Products.	Bacon and Ham.	Jam.	Preserved Fruit.	Preserved Vegetables.
	thousand lb.						
Year—							
1946-47 ... ..	60,385	4,544	38,302	35,310	51,936	27,408	25,958
1947-48 ... ..	76,066	5,909	46,475	31,614	58,978	30,556	25,480
1948-49 ... ..	74,519	5,577	44,868	29,649	32,104	29,676	24,480
1949-50 ... ..	82,469	6,333	51,215	28,879	34,549	31,748	32,265
Month—							
1949—July ... ..	2,888	247	1,905	2,322	662	2	1,365
August ... ..	3,588	268	2,678	2,620	2,407	97	2,214
September ... ..	5,618	353	3,356	2,159	3,430	178	2,083
October ... ..	8,685	780	5,499	2,396	2,090	104	3,427
November ... ..	10,088	895	6,549	3,162	2,210	214	4,221
December ... ..	10,459	885	6,965	3,359	4,232	2,661	2,204
1950—January ... ..	8,908	700	7,043	2,082	5,001	3,540	4,316
February ... ..	8,407	638	5,262	2,212	2,574	7,229	3,755
March ... ..	9,302	618	4,944	2,000	3,278	15,467	4,925
April ... ..	6,270	446	3,053	2,294	2,644	808	1,697
May ... ..	4,947	308	2,325	2,080	3,452	913	945
June ... ..	3,309	195	1,636	2,094	2,509	535	1,113
July ... ..	2,737	147	1,240	2,012	2,258	269	1,415
August ... ..	3,467	230	1,744	2,155	2,570	433	1,291
September ... ..	5,121	534	3,399	2,119	1,521	546	1,010
October ... ..	8,575	873	4,837	2,213	1,066	830	2,108
November ... ..	9,585	964	5,958	2,774	1,155	687	1,931
December ... ..	10,452	1,069	5,988	3,163	2,843	2,923	3,788
1951—January ... ..	10,825	944	5,925	2,129	3,585	2,901	2,271
February ... ..	8,280	758	5,106	2,307	3,016	7,140	2,205
March ... ..	7,383	612	3,801	2,250	2,912	11,967	4,267

\* Production in factories only.

Period.	Flour.	Bran (Wheaten).	Pollard (Wheaten).	Oatmeal and Rolled Oats.	Cornflour (incl. Edible Starch).	Malt.	Biscuits. *
	tons. (2,000 lb.)	tons. (2,000 lb.)	tons. (2,000 lb.)	cwt.	cwt.	bushels.	thous. lb.
Year—							
1946-47 ... ..	537,389	98,231	124,334	152,515	158,589	608,650	47,512
1947-48 ... ..	533,975	97,375	119,840	163,130	138,203	656,696	48,068
1948-49 ... ..	546,199	117,813	151,468	168,448	153,853	633,741	53,299
1949-50 ... ..	577,482	98,478	133,294	164,729	154,645	603,615	60,789
Month—							
1949—July ... ..	39,649	6,835	9,682	18,119	2,278	54,577	282
August ... ..	40,794	6,971	10,076	13,319	9,660	58,443	3,023
September ... ..	58,343	10,008	14,128	8,908	14,898	51,401	7,088
October ... ..	58,408	10,156	13,916	9,803	13,879	55,026	5,786
November ... ..	57,571	10,168	13,576	8,217	17,522	54,033	5,954
December ... ..	52,998	9,160	12,226	4,871	11,487	46,009	5,123
1950—January ... ..	44,000	7,562	10,006	6,798	10,550	35,873	4,156
February ... ..	30,125	6,030	8,203	9,714	15,527	43,877	5,638
March ... ..	40,499	6,958	9,371	18,205	18,233	54,064	7,185
April ... ..	38,795	6,660	8,742	18,601	12,096	53,191	4,687
May ... ..	57,344	9,508	12,127	26,685	17,334	57,514	5,970
June ... ..	52,956	8,462	11,241	21,489	11,181	39,607	5,897
July ... ..	57,382	9,386	12,789	18,420	17,207	52,710	4,785
August ... ..	60,726	10,114	13,410	13,900	16,887	58,628	6,193
September ... ..	57,976	9,732	12,946	9,143	19,741	54,079	6,852
October ... ..	52,217	8,684	11,642	8,852	13,746	55,055	5,735
November ... ..	51,410	8,709	11,410	11,032	15,826	55,495	5,557
December ... ..	52,450	8,846	10,895	7,448	11,676	44,024	5,245
1951—January ... ..	57,546	9,865	12,911	6,994	11,177	43,217	4,261
February ... ..	52,747	9,178	12,064	13,327	17,289	46,919	5,457
March ... ..	54,952	9,342	12,085	12,313	15,946	62,064	6,156

\* Excluding ice cream cones.



## No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

## FOOD AND DRINK—continued.

Period.	Margarine.		Ice Cream.	Confectionery.		Beer.
	Table.	Other.		Chocolate.	Other.	
	thous. lb.	thous. lb.	thous. gal.	thous. lb.	thous. lb.	thous. gal.
Year—						
1946-47 ... ..	9,206	21,570	5,278	28,460	35,169	50,654
1947-48 ... ..	5,177	27,938	5,852	27,799	34,896	45,626
1948-49 ... ..	13,559	33,598	6,954	30,612	33,078	54,104
1949-50 ... ..	8,437	38,242	7,540	29,827	31,307	54,704
Month—						
1949—						
July ... ..	779	1,786	354	983	1,368	352
August ... ..	393	3,648	586	2,147	2,356	3,344
September ... ..	688	3,604	598	3,398	3,447	5,182
October ... ..	584	3,377	712	3,299	3,043	5,002
November ... ..	981	3,939	767	2,639	3,192	5,162
December ... ..	953	2,580	865	1,879	2,230	5,083
1950—						
January ... ..	889	2,151	938	1,317	1,798	5,002
February ... ..	1,299	3,066	698	2,150	2,767	4,764
March ... ..	1,175	3,568	721	2,928	3,248	5,555
April ... ..	246	3,032	518	2,942	2,089	4,617
May ... ..	268	3,726	488	3,279	3,081	5,500
June ... ..	202	3,765	295	2,866	2,688	5,141
July ... ..	246	3,369	315	3,166	2,550	5,236
August ... ..	139	3,647	515	3,088	2,969	5,248
September ... ..	145	3,163	611	2,397	2,877	4,928
October ... ..	306	2,897	637	2,141	2,821	5,176
November ... ..	445	3,132	757	2,213	2,953	5,357
December ... ..	318	2,111	892	1,705	2,169	5,202
1951—						
January ... ..	161	1,592	810	1,243	1,703	5,277
February ... ..	173	2,671	816	2,044	2,646	4,893
March ... ..	704	2,610	849	2,088	2,728	5,162

## CLOTHING.

Period.	Hosiery.		Hats, Felt.	Brassieres.	Gloves.		Boots and Shoes. †	Slippers.
	Women's, Maids' and Girls'.	Other.			Dress.	Work.*		
	doz. pairs.	doz. pairs.	doz.	doz.	doz. pairs.	doz. pairs.	thous. pairs	thous. pairs
Year—								
1946-47 ... ..	301,363	284,562	142,781	87,564	16,562	119,560	7,201	3,041
1947-48 ... ..	226,683	462,354	140,662	84,945	13,866	104,793	6,250	3,143
1948-49 ... ..	188,834	411,453	147,498	116,876	9,727	106,474	6,117	2,804
1949-50 ... ..	383,837	374,572	118,724	148,312	11,041	106,610	6,024	2,822
Month—								
1949—								
July ... ..	15,151	14,535	764	7,542	700	5,170	305	171
August ... ..	29,382	33,220	5,780	12,698	733	8,569	536	273
September ... ..	32,319	30,819	8,878	12,169	855	9,795	568	296
October ... ..	29,985	32,095	6,288	11,852	930	9,660	546	273
November ... ..	35,945	40,670	10,952	15,337	1,067	10,386	600	279
December ... ..	26,592	27,273	11,488	10,993	817	8,219	438	229
1950—								
January ... ..	21,514	21,427	11,523	5,333	436	5,258	342	163
February ... ..	31,287	34,888	13,872	13,934	984	9,091	499	229
March ... ..	40,308	39,981	14,946	14,881	990	11,062	569	253
April ... ..	31,027	28,676	10,307	12,072	833	7,456	452	230
May ... ..	45,873	37,980	14,095	16,923	995	12,200	605	252
June ... ..	44,454	33,008	9,831	14,578	1,422	9,744	564	174
July ... ..	40,638	30,170	6,916	12,708	1,255	10,247	515	222
August ... ..	42,740	37,697	7,920	16,533	1,298	12,983	580	266
September ... ..	42,386	36,757	6,797	15,820	1,364	11,328	575	245
October ... ..	38,372	38,210	8,397	16,452	1,290	11,158	539	249
November ... ..	45,573	43,860	10,383	16,315	1,528	11,266	584	288
December ... ..	31,646	29,751	9,474	11,631	1,283	8,546	411	183
1951—								
January ... ..	27,208	23,527	17,251	8,861	726	9,644	356	147
February ... ..	39,882	35,445	11,913	13,821	1,267	11,134	502	213
March ... ..	35,796	34,594	9,519	11,964	1,151	11,055	517	199

\* Excluding rubber gloves.

† Includes sandals but not rubber footwear.

## No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

## METALS, COAL AND ENERGY.

Period.	Gold.	Coal.	Coke (Metallurg.).	Pig Iron.	Ingot Steel.	Gas.	Electricity.
	fine oz.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	thous. tons.	million cub. ft.	million kWh.
Year—							
1946-47 ... ..	43,607	11,212	1,184*	926*	1,312*	16,744	3,229
1947-48 ... ..	50,599	11,780	1,366*	1,030*	1,343*	18,093	3,546
1948-49 ... ..	57,981	11,736	1,130	897	1,129	18,151	3,717
1949-50 ... ..	47,288	11,290	1,164	1,002	1,266	17,846	3,758
Month—							
1949—July ... ..	716	5	12	16	...	1,025	180
August ... ..	450	815	52	40	47	1,356	262
September ... ..	6,546	1,236	115	94	136	1,640	323
October ... ..	5,892	1,148	122	99	131	1,576	317
November ... ..	4,327	1,285	120	108	130	1,531	324
December ... ..	4,260	820	107	103	134	1,484	313
1950—January ... ..	5,086	771	106	100	118	1,379	306
February ... ..	2,807	982	109	90	115	1,388	310
March ... ..	6,915	1,095	90	79	112	1,536	349
April ... ..	1,142	910	111	85	105	1,519	322
May ... ..	5,308	1,246	99	88	114	1,728	372
June ... ..	3,839	977	121	100	124	1,684	380
July ... ..	2,315	1,042	122	88	104	1,607	385
August ... ..	2,685	1,229	134	104	125	1,768	381
September ... ..	3,546	1,151	139	106	136	1,659	355
October ... ..	3,311	1,203	140	112	133	1,628	353
November ... ..	3,108	1,212	142	103	131	1,586	348
December ... ..	2,966	980	128	98	118	1,534	334
1951—January ... ..	4,485	552	101	76	93	1,512	329
February ... ..	2,494	870	96	81	97	1,441	318
March ... ..	4,240	1,007	115	93	107	1,577	351

\* Year ended 31st May.

† Monthly totals are approximate.

## MISCELLANEOUS METAL PRODUCTS.

Period.	Engines (Internal Combustion).		Electric Motors.		Motor Bodies. (excl. Cabins and Conversions)	Pedal Cycles.
	Marine.	Other.	Under 1 h.p.	Over 1 h.p.		
Year—	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.
1946-47 ... ..	2,803	8,943	82,382*	25,533*	2,719	30,259
1947-48 ... ..	2,839	11,165	80,465*	32,338	3,240	28,567
1948-49 ... ..	2,343	16,666	184,290	26,146	4,341	27,605
1949-50 ... ..	2,185	17,288	274,228	26,146	6,646	26,539
Month—						
1949—July ... ..	133	521	3,801	289	304	1,538
August ... ..	191	918	12,477	928	393	977
September ... ..	213	1,672	23,760	2,796	524	2,215
October ... ..	182	1,507	26,803	2,406	552	2,192
November ... ..	213	1,780	29,404	2,701	666	3,231
December ... ..	212	1,273	24,590	2,119	614	3,720
1950—January ... ..	165	999	19,229	1,633	426	1,745
February ... ..	165	1,669	26,860	2,452	564	2,097
March ... ..	202	1,946	26,356	2,719	669	2,395
April ... ..	155	1,442	22,763	2,222	592	1,784
May ... ..	172	1,852	29,380	3,283	673	2,444
June ... ..	182	1,709	28,805	2,598	669	2,201
July ... ..	156	1,784	25,843	2,771	656	2,445
August ... ..	175	1,967	29,568	3,373	710	2,507
September ... ..	186	1,740	29,378	3,219	690	2,290
October ... ..	172	1,787	28,693	3,079	695	2,567
November ... ..	202	1,963	31,392	3,053	731	3,301
December ... ..	220	1,911	31,750	2,198	626	2,888
1951—January ... ..	180	1,160	19,665	1,495	449	1,391
February ... ..	159	1,710	29,328	2,762	723	1,786
March ... ..	152	1,829	30,602	2,974	764	1,768

\* Electric motors for sale as such; later totals include electric motors incorporated in finished products.

No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

BUILDING MATERIALS AND FITTINGS.

Period.	Sawn Timber (Native).	Bricks (Clay).	Tiles.		Asbestos Cement Building Sheets.	Fibrous Plaster Sheets.	Cement.
			Terra Cotta.	Cement.			
	million sup. ft.	thousand.	thousand.	thousand.	thousand sq. yd.	thousand sq. yd.	tons.
Year—							
1946-47 ... ..	300.9	249,533	19,523	230	9,657	3,397	393,397
1947-48 ... ..	332.6	303,221	21,594	2,841	9,018	3,985	441,023
1948-49 ... ..	353.7	314,323	22,783	5,652	8,695	4,415	405,354
1949-50 ... ..	341.1	300,356	22,124	8,362	8,634	4,171	534,966
Month—							
1949—July ... ..	33.0	4,596	624	142	.....	183	3,855
August ... ..	28.3	15,745	1,257	293	404	254	33,977
September ... ..	26.2	29,088	2,146	647	843	388	58,517
October ... ..	31.5	28,558	2,128	764	941	360	50,630
November ... ..	28.9	34,570	2,388	804	878	385	51,219
December ... ..	32.4	25,072	1,972	709	746	322	46,349
1950—January ... ..	33.8	21,135	1,797	781	679	289	42,199
February ... ..	24.8	27,366	2,141	857	888	385	45,505
March ... ..	24.3	32,621	2,228	840	812	411	54,594
April ... ..	25.7	24,708	1,698	835	816	360	47,698
May ... ..	28.0	32,703	2,208	906	946	441	64,574
June ... ..	24.2	24,194	1,837	784	681	393	55,849
July ... ..	34.5	25,900	1,492	843	837	391	49,524
August ... ..	18.1	32,189	1,733	885	874	422	57,891
September ... ..	17.2	31,255	1,936	993	981	455	57,625
October ... ..	29.0	31,099	2,026	1,093	921	450	58,588
November ... ..	33.1	32,023	2,147	885	922	446	49,974
December ... ..	30.3	23,476	1,549	643	471	313	37,289
1951—January ... ..	32.2	21,113	1,537	805	613	340	38,180
February ... ..	27.0	28,061	1,974	867	829	413	53,080
March ... ..	20.2	27,173	1,868	843	861	420	48,404

Period.		Paints.		Stoves—Cooking—Domestic.				Gas Meters.
		Lacquers, Enamels, etc.	Ready- mixed (Oil).	Solid Fuel.	Gas.	Electric.		
						Stoves.	Stovettes (excl. Cookers).	
		Thousand gal.	Thousand gal.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.
Year—								
1946-47	... ..	1,138	1,568	12,033	12,883	31,221	*	32,675
1947-48	... ..	1,404	1,762	11,748	14,627	8,942	*	43,552
1948-49	... ..	1,569	1,823	12,810	19,906	18,968	*	44,249
1949-50	... ..	1,826	1,914	10,307	20,723	14,178	23,128	40,847
Month—								
1949—	July ... ..	77	67	206	51	117	710	1,936
	August ... ..	106	144	386	753	504	1,119	1,795
	September ... ..	174	200	1,130	2,410	1,377	1,612	4,371
	October ... ..	149	180	944	2,368	1,140	1,527	4,011
	November ... ..	180	197	1,099	2,225	1,873	2,370	3,486
	December ... ..	127	155	864	1,856	1,097	2,206	3,144
1950—	January ... ..	130	125	668	1,409	1,134	1,662	2,102
	February ... ..	166	181	860	1,951	1,204	2,551	4,086
	March ... ..	191	206	1,335	1,999	1,649	2,973	4,627
	April ... ..	152	148	727	1,641	975	2,117	3,283
	May ... ..	195	162	1,260	2,161	1,640	2,310	4,500
	June ... ..	179	149	828	1,899	1,468	1,971	3,506
	July ... ..	154	170	1,059	1,892	1,354	1,861	2,541
	August ... ..	161	198	1,291	2,109	1,610	2,096	4,759
	September ... ..	164	216	1,244	2,216	1,616	2,068	3,800
	October ... ..	167	238	1,113	2,155	1,572	3,099	4,102
	November ... ..	192	246	1,383	2,514	1,731	3,715	3,781
	December ... ..	136	185	1,105	1,629	1,317	2,522	2,261
1951—	January ... ..	124	140	796	1,593	785	1,777	2,353
	February ... ..	157	216	1,088	2,452	1,249	3,140	2,942
	March ... ..	164	237	1,083	2,314	1,582	3,728	2,752

\* Not available.

## No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

## BUILDING MATERIALS AND FITTINGS—continued.

Period.	Baths (all types).	Sinks— Stainless Steel.	Bath Heaters.			Coppers (complete).			Refrigera- tors— House- hold.
			Solid Fuel and Kerosene.	Gas.	Electric.	Solid Fuel.	Gas.	Electric.	
Year—					No.				
1946-47 ... ..	*	6,969	*	*	*	*	*	*	40,975
1947-48 ... ..	35,219	13,079	35,696	28,337	7,375	*	*	*	66,771
1948-49 ... ..	45,646	12,867	35,201	22,414	6,301	58,969	24,256	14,121	84,232
1949-50 ... ..	40,635	18,431	44,127	13,845	7,800	74,271	20,765	16,470	90,653
Month—									
1949—July ... ..	2,152	931	6,884	380	311	2,962	188	113	1,817
August ... ..	1,532	770	6,167	763	244	2,657	579	773	2,952
September ... ..	4,100	1,312	2,825	1,315	479	4,798	2,728	1,528	9,073
October ... ..	3,671	1,483	1,888	1,187	828	6,444	2,194	1,787	8,723
November ... ..	4,001	1,967	2,521	1,515	1,026	5,358	2,285	1,987	9,850
December ... ..	3,442	1,344	2,017	1,272	735	7,171	1,837	1,790	10,208
1950—January ... ..	3,004	812	1,491	759	395	5,918	1,333	858	6,907
February ... ..	3,189	1,428	3,700	1,277	626	7,199	2,000	1,782	8,206
March ... ..	4,125	2,001	4,049	1,579	573	7,577	1,650	2,186	8,987
April ... ..	3,230	1,636	1,986	1,186	666	5,959	1,669	1,086	6,462
May ... ..	4,507	2,364	4,647	1,472	827	10,725	2,384	1,164	9,222
June ... ..	3,682	2,383	5,952	1,140	1,090	7,503	1,918	1,416	8,246
July ... ..	3,687	2,329	4,145	1,207	555	10,518	1,591	1,477	8,151
August ... ..	4,248	2,351	3,995	2,169	623	7,572	2,271	1,459	9,409
September ... ..	3,969	2,048	3,210	1,394	978	9,924	2,096	1,344	9,440
October ... ..	3,950	2,120	4,661	1,326	886	6,556	2,189	1,525	10,625
November ... ..	4,787	2,230	2,469	1,428	776	8,354	2,466	1,866	11,826
December ... ..	3,249	1,734	829	1,459	713	9,102	1,578	1,366	10,932
1951—January ... ..	2,445	1,252	2,043	1,057	415	6,004	1,198	1,165	7,624
February ... ..	3,184	2,047	2,222	1,400	762	7,556	2,089	1,619	7,981
March ... ..	3,061	1,696	1,190	1,608	719	8,038	2,095	1,891	9,411

\*, Not available.

## MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Period.	Wireless Cabinets.	Mattresses.			Perambula- tors.	Sulphate of Ammonia.
		Wire.	Inner Spring.	Other.		
Year—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	tons.
1946-47 ... ..	196,978	59,782	36,296	129,937	48,859	22,377
1947-48 ... ..	213,226	59,491	52,582	181,078	56,201	24,611
1948-49 ... ..	180,023	55,390	85,574	166,699	45,754	28,789
1949-50 ... ..	222,818	69,650	107,057	190,543	46,410	32,353
Month—						
1949—July ... ..	1,504	2,830	3,670	8,975	1,954	} 1,335
August ... ..	11,715	5,520	7,700	14,977	3,235	
September ... ..	23,554	6,490	10,267	19,518	4,166	
October ... ..	22,352	6,058	9,109	17,854	3,374	
November ... ..	19,042	6,670	11,020	17,448	5,016	
December ... ..	14,031	6,594	8,717	14,981	3,775	3,402
1950—January ... ..	16,518	3,955	6,557	11,963	4,563	3,669
February ... ..	19,280	5,825	9,690	16,941	4,098	2,636
March ... ..	27,959	7,724	11,321	18,741	5,059	2,977
April ... ..	17,993	4,702	9,703	15,039	3,646	2,747
May ... ..	24,724	8,275	11,018	18,624	5,156	3,211
June ... ..	24,146	5,007	8,195	15,482	3,168	4,483
July ... ..	26,617	4,573	8,856	12,737	3,225	2,799
August ... ..	26,165	6,231	10,564	15,614	4,449	3,672
September ... ..	24,527	6,138	12,370	15,743	4,303	3,455
October ... ..	29,355	5,715	11,652	14,574	3,809	3,437
November ... ..	21,910	5,452	14,151	17,648	5,050	3,239
December ... ..	21,101	4,262	10,544	13,559	4,160	2,541
1951—January ... ..	16,568	2,667	9,351	10,658	4,384	2,435
February ... ..	18,030	4,542	13,403	14,303	5,508	2,684
March ... ..	16,383	6,582	16,337	16,365	4,041	2,167

## No. 28.—Monthly Production Statistics—New South Wales—continued.

## MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS—continued.

Period.	Soap.				Cleansing and Scouring Powders.	Sulphuric Acid.
	Toilet (incl. Shampoos and Shaving Soap).	Household (incl. Flakes, Chips, Extracts and Powders).	Industrial (incl. Flakes, Chips, Extracts and Powders).	Other (Liquid, Soft and Sand.)		
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.
Year—						
1946-47 ... ..	188,232	369,906	67,684	65,783	113,572	
1947-48 ... ..	228,973	511,658	99,387	61,050	111,101	
1948-49 ... ..	219,348	619,492	106,813	58,348	94,542	
1949-50 ... ..	227,888	620,561	42,302	102,380	47,468	93,763
Month—						
1949—July ... ..	7,334	52,921	*	*	103	
August ... ..	15,710	77,266	*	*	3,941	
September ... ..	23,749	70,654	*	*	9,010	
October ... ..	16,155	72,263	*	*	5,875	
November ... ..	25,116	68,886	*	*	9,340	
December ... ..	16,955	43,360	*	*	9,494	
1950—January ... ..	14,886	41,117	*	*	10,209	
February ... ..	21,106	67,880	*	*	7,335	
March ... ..	20,685	62,440	*	*	9,327	
April ... ..	17,398	57,751	*	*	9,170	
May ... ..	23,425	71,566	*	*	9,116	
June ... ..	25,369	79,139	*	*	10,843	
July ... ..	15,470	55,061	3,715	9,166	4,728	8,572
August ... ..	14,722	51,428	4,856	10,712	4,352	8,605
September ... ..	18,153	52,589	5,515	8,709	5,172	8,598
October ... ..	24,004	48,568	5,117	9,702	4,584	9,282
November ... ..	21,394	51,268	5,140	12,649	4,321	9,527
December ... ..	14,520	45,683	4,930	8,352	2,981	10,185
1951—January ... ..	16,561	29,857	3,602	7,908	1,734	8,184
February ... ..	19,781	53,286	4,452	9,246	3,995	7,974
March ... ..	22,539	55,443	4,381	5,751	5,748	9,177

\* Not available.

## No. 29.—Net Value of Production,\* Recorded Industries.—N.S.W.

Year.	Rural Industries.				Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.	Mines and Quarries. †	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing.	Total.
	Pastoral.	Agri-cultural.	Dairying and Farmyard.	Total Rural Industries.					
					£ thousand.				
1938-39 ... ..	23,613	13,401	13,147	50,161	3,429	9,948	63,538	90,266	153,804
1939-40 ... ..	34,562	18,093	13,266	65,921	3,658	10,927	80,506	96,609	177,115
1940-41 ... ..	35,305	11,215	13,368	59,888	4,646	10,233	74,767	115,044	189,811
1941-42 ... ..	34,121	16,043	12,834	62,998	6,045	12,403	81,446	138,790	220,236
1942-43 ... ..	38,212	24,444	17,070	79,726	5,507	12,897	98,130	153,582	251,712
1943-44 ... ..	42,580	27,916	18,112	88,608	7,026	13,158	108,792	162,726	271,518
1944-45 ... ..	37,452	17,499	20,080	75,031	7,048	13,137	95,216	159,875	255,091
1945-46 ... ..	34,043	39,345	21,596	94,984	8,908	13,116	117,008	153,179	270,187
1946-47 ... ..	52,666	20,351	21,179	94,196	10,338	16,506	121,040	186,546	307,586
1947-48 ... ..	76,622	79,308	25,692	181,622	9,284	22,285	213,191	218,611	431,802
1948-49 ... ..	99,746	41,468	28,991	170,205	10,623	28,198	209,026	251,199	460,225
1949-50 ... ..	145,919	62,090	33,943	241,952	10,293	31,106	283,351	283,201	566,552

\* Represents gross value at place of production less value of goods used in the process of production, e.g., fodder, seed, fertiliser used on farms, and raw materials and fuel in factories.

† Calendar years 1938 to 1949.

‡ Preliminary. Subject to revision.

¶ Does not include profits realised under the wartime plan for disposal of the 1939-40 to 1945-46 wool clips. An interim distribution of such profits, viz., £9,343,590, was made in 1949-50.

**No. 30.—Building Approved—Value of New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.**  
**Areas of New South Wales—Private and Government.**

**Note.**—1. "Value" represents the estimated cost of the building when completed (exclusive of the land).

2. Building is classified as "Private" or "Government" according to ownership.
3. The value of building approved is the value of permits issued by local government councils, plus the value of contracts let or work commenced and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities.
4. Buildings on rural holdings are for the most part excluded.

Period.	Metropolis.		Balance of Cumberland.	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.
	City.	Suburbs.			
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PRIVATE.</b>					
<b>Year—</b>					
1940* ...	1,534,207	10,184,032	1,416,685	3,470,514	16,605,438
1941* ...	552,021	10,295,380	1,488,328	3,269,627	15,605,356
1942* ...	270,951	1,174,687	199,472	879,565	2,524,675
1943* ...	248,446	1,112,197	139,057	369,331	1,869,031
1944* ...	332,054	1,270,874	352,983	516,419	2,472,330
1945* ...	264,231	5,007,077	2,676,688	1,953,009	9,901,005
1946* ...	1,213,194	16,856,993	6,830,534	6,675,910	31,576,631
1947* ...	1,314,743	18,937,314	7,944,259	8,651,549	36,847,856
1947† ...	1,314,743	18,937,314	7,944,259	13,621,132	41,817,439
1948† ...	1,228,675	21,366,827	10,744,730	16,102,717	49,442,949
1949† ...	26,869,038		12,272,427	19,781,479	58,922,944
1950† ...	37,214,471		17,916,424	26,987,393	82,118,288
<b>Quarter—</b>					
1950†—March ...	8,178,877		3,910,943	5,850,340	17,940,160
June ...	9,495,418		4,042,845	6,429,136	19,967,399
September ...	9,548,373		5,098,636	7,149,257	21,796,266
December ...	9,991,803		4,864,000	7,558,660	22,414,463
1951†—March ...	11,197,195		4,711,974	9,443,231	25,352,400

<b>GOVERNMENT.</b>					
<b>Year—</b>					
1940 ...	893,788		2,671,819		3,565,607
1941 ...	1,725,143		2,903,813		4,628,956
1942 ...	1,370,592		3,932,323		5,302,915
1943 ...	3,109,004		1,574,320		4,683,324
1944 ...	1,606,227		2,304,145		3,910,372
1945 ...	3,661,801		1,638,295		5,300,096
1946 ...	3,793,518		2,651,068		6,444,586
1947 ...	4,299,295		3,022,773		7,322,068
1948 ...	6,243,908		1,446,160	3,652,917	11,342,985
1949 ...	7,549,806		1,574,455	5,119,970	14,244,231
1950 ...	8,061,206		1,738,536	7,575,464	17,375,206
<b>Quarter—</b>					
1950—March ...	1,449,011		432,267	1,419,748	3,301,026
June ...	2,106,767		216,135	1,483,590	3,806,492
September ...	2,280,945		416,069	2,495,255	5,192,269
December ...	2,224,483		674,065	2,176,871	5,075,419
1951—March ...	2,686,609		1,244,921	1,518,306	5,449,836

<b>PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT.</b>					
<b>Year—</b>					
1940* ...	12,612,027		7,559,018		20,171,045
1941* ...	12,572,544		7,661,768		20,234,312
1942* ...	2,816,230		5,011,360		7,827,590
1943* ...	4,469,647		2,082,708		6,552,355
1944* ...	3,209,155		3,173,547		6,382,702
1945* ...	8,933,109		6,267,992		15,201,101
1946* ...	21,863,705		16,157,512		38,021,217
1947* ...	24,551,352		19,618,572		44,169,924
1947† ...	24,551,352		24,588,155		49,139,507
1948† ...	28,839,410		12,190,890	19,755,634	60,785,934
1949† ...	34,418,844		13,846,882	24,901,449	73,167,175
1950† ...	45,275,677		19,654,960	34,562,857	99,493,494
<b>Quarter—</b>					
1950†—March ...	9,627,888		4,343,210	7,270,088	21,241,186
June ...	11,602,185		4,258,980	7,912,726	23,773,891
September ...	11,829,318		5,514,705	9,644,512	26,988,535
December ...	12,216,286		5,538,005	9,735,531	27,489,822
1951†—March ...	13,883,804		5,956,895	10,961,537	30,802,236

\* Permits issued by local councils of Sydney and Suburbs, 129 country towns and 7 extra-metropolitan shires.

† Permits issued by all local councils in the State.



# No. 31.—Building Approved—Value of New Buildings, Alterations and Additions. Principal Classes of Building, N.S.W.—Private and Government.

(For definitions see notes above Table 30.)

Period.	Houses.	Flats (incl. Con- versions).	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops Only.	Factories.	Other Buildings.	Total.
PRIVATE—£ thousand.								
Year—								
1940* ... ..	8,688	2,802	1,050	307	347	1,377	2,035	16,606
1941* ... ..	10,178	2,370	116	177	185	1,448	1,131	15,605
1942* ... ..	970	36	25	12	29	1,004	449	2,525
1943* ... ..	284	13	25	12	16	1,125	394	1,869
1944* ... ..	723	20	14	7	33	1,225	450	2,472
1945* ... ..	8,004	59	152	23	95	978	590	9,901
1946* ... ..	22,950	789	431	321	732	4,212	2,141	31,576
1947* ... ..	28,649	1,409	459	384	494	3,741	1,712	36,848
1947† ... ..	33,039	1,461	480	466	570	3,852	1,949	41,817
1948† ... ..	40,486	1,763	247	469	355	4,055	2,068	49,443
1949† ... ..	49,387	2,104	111	712	466	3,680	2,463	58,923
1950† ... ..	63,855	3,103	359	1,381	948	7,180	5,292	82,118
Quarter—								
1950†—March ...	14,577	752	55	314	112	1,266	864	17,940
June ... ..	15,814	978	27	237	239	1,561	1,112	19,968
September ...	17,042	599	178	420	276	2,208	1,074	21,797
December ...	16,423	775	99	410	321	2,145	2,241	22,414
1951†—March ...	17,793	1,156	302	311	284	4,103	1,403	25,352

## GOVERNMENT—£ thousand.

Year—								
1940 ... ..	38	...	...	...	...	3,527	...	3,565
1941 ... ..	336	...	...	...	...	4,293	...	4,629
1942 ... ..	350	...	...	...	...	4,953	...	5,303
1943 ... ..	127	...	...	...	...	4,556	...	4,683
1944 ... ..	349	...	...	...	...	3,561	...	3,910
1945 ... ..	2,404	...	...	...	...	2,896	...	5,300
1946 ... ..	4,043	62	...	33	...	368	1,939	6,445
1947 ... ..	4,001	211	...	3	...	468	2,639	7,322
1948 ... ..	5,733	504	...	98	...	1,369	3,639	11,343
1949 ... ..	5,243	887	...	...	...	1,507	6,607	14,244
1950 ... ..	6,208	1,276	...	...	7	1,439	8,445	17,375
Quarter—								
1950—March ...	1,744	163	...	...	...	34	1,360	3,301
June ... ..	1,623	489	...	...	...	57	1,637	3,806
September ...	1,435	194	...	...	7	986	2,570	5,192
December ...	1,405	429	...	...	...	363	2,879	5,076
1951—March ...	1,571	113	...	14	...	501	3,251	5,450

## PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT—£ thousand.

Year—								
1940* ... ..	8,726	2,802	1,050	307	347	6,939	...	20,171
1941* ... ..	10,514	2,370	116	177	185	6,872	...	20,234
1942* ... ..	1,320	36	25	12	29	6,406	...	7,828
1943* ... ..	411	13	25	12	16	6,075	...	6,552
1944* ... ..	1,072	20	14	7	33	5,236	...	6,382
1945* ... ..	10,408	59	152	23	95	4,464	...	15,201
1946* ... ..	26,993	851	431	354	732	4,580	4,080	38,021
1947* ... ..	32,650	1,620	459	387	494	4,209	4,351	44,179
1947† ... ..	37,040	1,672	480	469	570	4,320	4,588	49,139
1948† ... ..	46,219	2,267	247	567	355	5,424	5,707	60,786
1949† ... ..	54,630	2,991	111	712	466	5,187	9,070	73,167
1950† ... ..	70,063	4,379	359	1,381	955	8,619	13,737	99,493
Quarter—								
1950†—March ...	16,321	915	55	314	112	1,300	2,224	21,241
June ... ..	17,437	1,467	27	237	239	1,618	2,749	23,774
September ...	18,477	793	178	420	283	3,194	3,644	26,989
December ...	17,828	1,204	99	410	321	2,508	5,120	27,490
1951†—March ...	19,364	1,269	302	325	284	4,604	4,654	30,802

\* Permits issued by local councils of Sydney and Suburbs, 129 country towns and 7 extra-metropolitan shires.

† Permits issued by all local councils in the State.

**No. 32.—New Buildings\* Commenced—Private and Government—N.S.W.**

Estimated Cost (when completed).

Period.	Houses.	Flats.	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops Only.	Factories.	Other New Buildings.	Total.
£ thousand.								
Year ended Dec. —								
1947 ... ..	24,950	1,017	75	157	126	2,998	3,862	33,185
1948 ... ..	32,867	2,067	171	337	84	2,691	3,378	41,595
1949 ... ..	35,034	2,275	337	229	136	2,372	6,044	46,427
1950 ... ..	44,779	2,738	308	579	178	5,378	10,947	64,907
Quarter—								
1948—Dec. ...	8,406	292	54	80	15	359	1,247	10,447
1949—Mar. ...	7,805	512	15	58	27	597	1,220	10,234
June ... ..	9,060	696	148	76	33	516	2,038	12,567
Sept. ... ..	8,222	580	67	38	24	707	1,452	11,090
Dec. ... ..	9,947	487	107	57	52	552	1,334	12,536
1950—Mar. ...	10,623	538	132	128	49	1,731	2,018	15,219
June ... ..	9,390	875	94	110	30	638	1,294	12,431
Sept. ... ..	11,848	610	...	162	70	1,267	3,308	17,265
Dec. ... ..	12,918	715	82	179	29	1,742	4,327	19,992

\* Excluding alterations and additions to buildings.

**No. 33.—New Buildings\* Completed—Private and Government—N.S.W.**

Estimated Cost.

Period.	Houses.	Flats.	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings.	Shops Only.	Factories.	Other New Buildings.	Total.
£ thousand.								
Year ended Dec. —								
1947 ... ..	16,717	513	39	96	114	1,524	1,259	20,262
1948 ... ..	25,028	1,190	45	187	81	1,601	1,826	29,958
1949 ... ..	30,261	1,702	231	293	163	2,506	2,446	37,602
1950 ... ..	35,383	1,606	299	464	138	2,901	3,609	44,400
Quarter—								
1948—Dec. ....	7,877	412	15	39	17	314	555	9,229
1949—Mar. ...	6,095	320	46	60	32	712	313	7,578
June ... ..	7,444	398	37	64	42	457	747	9,189
Sept. ... ..	7,663	436	35	82	14	376	433	9,039
Dec. ... ..	9,059	548	113	87	75	961	953	11,796
1950—Mar. ...	7,245	383	154	121	40	791	731	9,465
June ... ..	8,403	360	72	80	24	775	898	10,612
Sept. ... ..	8,814	372	66	118	35	721	1,040	11,166
Dec. ... ..	10,921	491	7	145	39	614	940	13,157

\* Excluding alterations and additions to buildings.

**No. 34.—Building—Number of New Houses Commenced and Completed in Statistical Divisions of N.S.W.**

Private and Government, including owner-built houses, but excluding some new houses on farms and military huts converted into temporary dwellings.

Statistical Division.	Commenced.				Completed.			
	Year ended 31st December.				Year ended 31st December.			
	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.
Metropolis ... ..	7,407	8,619	8,264	9,011	5,199	7,358	7,742	7,610
Balance of Cumberland ...	3,887	4,480	4,603	5,324	2,707	3,111	3,534	4,181
Division of Cumberland ...	11,294	13,099	12,867	14,335	7,906	10,469	11,276	11,791
Rest of New South Wales—								
North Coast ... ..	1,233	1,059	1,066	1,081	985	1,022	1,024	1,068
Hunter and Manning ...	2,494	2,629	2,605	2,633	1,574	2,408	2,093	2,056
South Coast ... ..	1,245	1,676	1,887	2,068	1,044	1,102	1,546	1,800
Northern Tableland ...	263	259	251	196	166	232	244	200
Central Tableland ...	595	636	718	749	380	471	505	627
Southern Tableland ...	236	167	269	431	104	173	136	247
North Western Slope ...	275	270	257	324	230	223	217	359
Central Western Slope ...	226	312	274	206	176	260	241	195
South Western Slope ...	482	523	580	576	312	418	538	497
North Central Plain ...	107	89	43	55	53	88	68	59
Central Plain ... ..	57	23	37	16	34	39	47	17
Riverina ... ..	223	271	222	236	151	231	231	211
Western Div. and Unincorp. ...	143	53	276	270	76	116	110	192
Total, Rest of N.S.W. ...	7,579	7,967	8,485	8,841	5,285	6,783	7,000	7,528
Total, N.S.W. ... ..	18,873	21,066	21,352	23,176	13,191	17,252	18,276	19,319



**No. 35.—Building—Number of New Houses Approved, Commenced and Completed.**

Private and Government, including owner-built houses, but excluding some new houses on farms and military huts converted into temporary dwellings.

Period.	Approved.*			Commenced.			Completed.		
	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.
<b>Year ended Dec.—</b>									
1947 ... ..	16,805	11,045	27,850	11,294	7,579	18,873	7,906	5,285	13,191
1948 ... ..	17,217	11,968	29,185	13,099	7,967	21,066	10,469	6,783	17,252
1949 ... ..	18,923	12,950	31,883	12,867	8,485	21,352	11,276	7,000	18,276
1950 ... ..	20,792	14,137	34,929	14,335	8,841	23,176	11,791	7,528	19,319
<b>Quarter—</b>									
1946—March † ...	3,687	2,083	5,770	2,100	1,600	3,700	900	600	1,500
June † ...	4,800	2,259	7,059	2,350	1,750	4,100	1,250	650	1,900
September † ...	4,788	2,512	7,300	2,600	2,000	4,600	1,650	1,050	2,700
December † ...	4,026	2,171	6,197	2,675	1,325	4,000	2,150	1,250	3,400
1947—March ... ..	3,873	2,541	6,414	2,475	1,826	4,301	1,557	1,169	2,726
June ... ..	4,428	2,883	7,311	2,838	1,981	4,819	2,008	1,353	3,361
September ... ..	4,757	2,911	7,668	3,152	1,923	5,075	2,216	1,278	3,494
December ... ..	3,747	2,710	6,457	2,829	1,849	4,678	2,125	1,485	3,610
1948—March ... ..	3,570	2,567	6,137	2,794	1,606	4,400	2,007	1,503	3,510
June ... ..	4,603	3,159	7,762	3,504	2,150	5,654	2,465	1,779	4,244
September ... ..	4,333	3,115	7,448	3,052	2,158	5,210	2,718	1,641	4,359
December ... ..	4,711	3,127	7,838	3,149	2,053	5,202	3,279	1,860	5,139
1949—March ... ..	4,646	3,131	7,777	2,953	1,865	4,818	2,298	1,471	3,769
June ... ..	5,036	3,306	8,342	3,281	2,180	5,461	2,855	1,742	4,597
September ... ..	4,439	3,145	7,584	2,848	2,350	5,198	2,768	1,889	4,657
December ... ..	4,802	3,378	8,180	3,785	2,090	5,875	3,355	1,898	5,253
1950—March ... ..	5,434	3,257	8,691	3,866	2,067	5,933	2,531	1,592	4,123
June ... ..	5,012	3,551	8,563	2,984	2,065	5,049	2,878	1,855	4,733
September ... ..	5,449	3,761	9,210	3,921	2,215	6,136	2,848	1,927	4,775
December ... ..	4,897	3,568	8,465	3,504	2,494	6,058	3,534	2,154	5,688

\* Local Government permits to build plus contracts let and day labour projects authorised by Governmental Authorities. † Including Metropolis. ‡ Approximate.

**No. 36.—Building—Number of Dwellings in New Flats Approved, Commenced and Completed.**

Private and Government (excluding Conversions).

Period.	Approved.*			Commenced.			Completed.		
	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.	Division of Cumberland. †	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.
<b>Year ended Dec.—</b>									
1947 ... ..	1,137	262	1,399	596	116	712	322	43	365
1948 ... ..	1,609	189	1,798	1,117	214	1,331	609	180	789
1949 ... ..	1,326	352	1,678	1,176	184	1,360	841	178	1,019
1950 ... ..	1,358	511	1,869	1,286	273	1,559	852	117	969
<b>Quarter—</b>									
1947—March ... ..	208	38	246	115	38	153	46	2	48
June ... ..	271	62	333	158	39	197	53	...	53
September ... ..	249	55	304	107	22	129	112	14	126
December ... ..	409	107	516	216	17	233	111	27	138
1948—March ... ..	306	56	362	330	42	372	108	22	130
June ... ..	422	48	470	328	31	359	148	15	163
September ... ..	283	51	334	300	109	409	179	33	212
December ... ..	598	34	632	159	32	191	174	110	284
1949—March ... ..	245	65	310	313	9	322	178	3	181
June ... ..	328	108	436	327	53	380	179	38	217
September ... ..	260	83	343	317	56	373	218	66	284
December ... ..	493	96	589	219	66	285	266	71	337
1950—March ... ..	442	104	546	191	102	293	197	35	232
June ... ..	391	142	533	498	38	536	192	30	222
September ... ..	190	157	347	241	65	306	194	26	220
December ... ..	335	108	443	356	68	424	269	26	295

\* Local Government permits to build plus contracts let by Governmental Authorities.

† Including Metropolis.

## No. 37.—Wholesale Trade—N.S.W.

Approximate Amount of Sales by Traders Registered under Sales Tax Acts.

(Wholesalers trading only in exempt goods do not supply returns, and recorded sales, as shown below, do not necessarily represent a constant proportion of total wholesale trade, owing to changes in the scope of the sales tax.)

Year ended 30th June.	Amount of Sales (Taxable and Exempt Goods).	Amount of Tax.	Month.	Amount of Sales (Taxable and Exempt Goods).				
				1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
	£ million.	£ million.		£ million.				
1938...	194.5	3.4	July ...	25.7	27.8	35.3	36.2	50.6
1939...	192.3	4.0	August ...	28.7	32.1	39.7	35.7	53.4
1940...	204.3	5.3	Sept. ...	29.0	32.0	39.1	41.0	57.6
1941...	215.3	8.9	Oct. ...	26.6	30.9	37.5	44.8	59.2
1942...	235.2	11.7	Nov. ...	24.7	32.7	39.4	40.1	46.1
1943...	242.8	12.5	Dec. ...	27.8	34.2	35.1	51.4	62.6
1944...	240.3	12.1						
1945...	255.4	12.8	Jan. ...	21.7	25.2	32.2	39.4	53.7
1946...	264.8	14.6	Feb. ...	26.3	30.3	39.6	49.1	51.4
1947...	320.3	15.4	March ...	24.2	33.2	35.7	42.3	
1948...	382.5	15.1	April ...	27.3	33.8	39.9	55.8	
1949...	452.8	16.7	May ...	30.3	35.6	42.3	54.6	
1950...	537.8	17.8	June ...	28.0	34.7	37.0	47.4	

## No. 38.—Retail Trade—Principal City Stores, Sydney.

(Source: Retail Traders' Association of New South Wales.)

Value of Retail Sales: Percentage increase or decrease (—) in each period as compared with corresponding period of previous year.

Movement in Value of Net Sales.											
Period.		Piece Goods.		Women's Wear.	Men's and Boys' Wear.	Boots and Shoes.	Total Clothing and Piece Goods.	Furni- ture.	Hard- ware.	Total Sales. *	
		House- hold.	Dress.								
Increase or Decrease (—)											
Year—	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
1939 ...	17	1	3	(—) 1	3	3	(—) 1	5	2	2	
1940 ...	11	10	8	7	3	7	5	8	6	6	
1941 ...	15	17	17	16	19	17	13	12	15	15	
1942 ...	6	(—) 14	(—) 9	(—) 12	5	(—) 5	(—) 9	(—) 6	(—) 5	(—) 5	
1943 ...	(—) 29	11	(—) 2	(—) 7	(—) 1	(—) 5	(—) 33	(—) 27	(—) 11	(—) 11	
1944 ...	(—) 12	18	8	8	(—) 2	4	(—) 5	2	3	3	
1945 ...	13	9	15	17	7	12	25	34	16	16	
1946 ...	32	16	19	23	36	25	69	68	32	32	
1947 ...	31	16	13	16	9	14	43	32	19	19	
1948 ...	21	5	10	19	17	15	24	29	16	16	
1949 ...	2	1	6	14	7	7	5	10	7	7	
1950 ...	28	(—) 1	13	18	17	15	25	21	17	17	
1949—											
Mar. Qtr. ...	26	22	15	32	13	20	15	22	17	17	
June „ ...	3	5	8	13	8	9	...	4	6	6	
Sept. „ ...	(—) 11	(—) 12	6	8	8	3	3	6	4	4	
Dec. „ ...	3	(—) 3	4	12	7	6	11	14	8	8	
1950—											
January ...	(—) 3	(—) 10	6	6	3	3	17	17	8	8	
February ...	8	(—) 3	14	15	3	10	24	7	13	13	
March ...	(—) 4	(—) 13	6	4	15	4	19	12	8	8	
April ...	(—) 10	(—) 21	(—) 5	1	8	(—) 4	7	12	...	...	
May ...	5	(—) 10	16	15	19	13	19	20	15	15	
June ...	4	(—) 10	13	14	23	12	28	13	15	15	
July ...	47	(—) 3	27	37	33	30	49	30	31	31	
August ...	167	19	39	42	41	48	32	37	39	39	
September ...	81	27	21	41	22	31	30	31	28	28	
October ...	37	(—) 1	6	18	10	11	39	38	21	21	
November ...	16	(—) 6	8	13	12	9	21	23	14	14	
December ...	14	6	12	17	15	14	21	15	14	14	
1951—											
January ...	86	35	35	57	39	45	39	48	41	41	
February ...	64	26	19	32	38	41	26	38	28	28	
March ...	50	18	15	34	37	26	28	28	25	25	

\* Foregoing items plus all other goods sold by these stores.

## No. 39.—Port of Sydney—Items of Interstate Imports and Exports.

(Source—Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)

Item.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		March Quarter.	
		1949.	1950.	1950.	1951.	1950.	1951.
<b>Interstate Imports—</b>							
Butter ... ..	tons	1,102	1,283	1,243	192	8	6
Cheese ... ..	tons	649	738	731	283	60	29
Milk and Cream, Preserved	40 cub. ft.	7,077	6,636	5,741	3,791	1,871	1,016
Barley ... ..	tons	12,446	10,328	5,582	5,308	1,931	3,186
Maize ... ..	tons	2,148	4	4	3	...	3
Flour ... ..	tons	1,374	1,188	640	1,276	273	482
Peas and Beans ... ..	tons	3,687	2,113	1,067	1,606	436	1,240
Potatoes ... ..	tons	65,470	56,208	35,421	28,932	11,867	12,209
Fruit—Fresh ... ..	40 cub. ft.	29,992	10,929	7,680	12,811	200	307
Preserved, etc. ... ..	40 cub. ft.	12,811	12,451	8,526	9,286	2,402	2,574
Sugar ... ..	tons	187,072	156,308	106,992	110,186	38,736	36,730
Molasses ... ..	tons	28,172	16,806	13,061	18,267	2,132	6,038
Jams ... ..	40 cub. ft.	4,013	3,950	2,361	2,480	1,195	916
Confectionery ... ..	40 cub. ft.	5,727	8,171	5,871	4,467	2,125	1,044
Ale and Beer ... ..	40 cub. ft.	1,520	1,747	1,519	729	231	111
Wines ... ..	40 cub. ft.	7,670	5,326	4,608	1,944	791	607
Spirits ... ..	40 cub. ft.	5,281	5,935	4,569	3,192	1,003	799
Tallow ... ..	40 cub. ft.	23,136	28,536	22,069	17,953	7,133	5,151
Hides and Skins ... ..	40 cub. ft.	7,597	6,455	4,777	6,361	1,232	1,736
Wool ... ..	bales	47,220	32,175	19,920	18,830	7,105	5,060
Iron, Pig ... ..	tons	36,742	27,009	22,762	31,937	12,937	5,810
Lead ... ..	tons	25,084	25,213	18,958	17,230	7,234	7,576
Motor Vehicles and Parts ... ..	40 cub. ft.	58,888	72,316	48,364	68,475	19,416	18,436
Newsprint ... ..	tons	13,125	14,416	11,965	8,987	4,470	2,663
Timber, Undressed ... ..	thou. sup. ft.	13,004	12,628	9,852	10,515	4,320	2,980
All other Items ... ..	tons	421,165	390,802	295,103	242,698	103,642	75,012
<b>Interstate Exports—</b>							
Margarine ... ..	tons	3,252	3,751	2,815	2,162	802	379
Meats, Preserved ... ..	40 cub. ft.	435	407	247	315	129	92
Wheat ... ..	tons	1,730	5,343	3,333	1,448	3,311	4
Flour ... ..	tons	1,002	736	497	1,686	98	971
Hides and Skins ... ..	40 cub. ft.	2,802	2,776	2,198	1,755	462	490
Wool ... ..	bales	58,972	85,542	46,715	45,518	10,595	9,818
Coke ... ..	tons	10,361	13,212	9,705	6,257	3,497	20
Timber, Undressed ... ..	thou. sup. ft.	629	348	245	2,101	58	83
Cement ... ..	tons	3,968	14,543	7,716	12,600	2,941	372
Tin ... ..	tons	507	489	392	413	117	31
All other Items ... ..	tons	484,647	495,783	365,455	356,917	124,181	110,985

Note.—One ton = 2,240 lb., except in the case of "All other Items," for which tons weight and tons measurement (1 ton measurement = 40 cubic feet) are combined. "All other Items" includes transhipments.

## No. 40.—Port of Newcastle—Items of Interstate Imports and Exports.

(Source—Maritime Services Board of New South Wales.)

Item.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		March Quarter.	
		1949.	1950.	1950.	1951.	1950.	1951.
<b>Interstate Imports—</b>							
Ironstone ... ..	tons	1,104,273	1,148,585	817,591	1,016,746	335,584	377,854
Iron and Steel, Scrap	tons	8,889	10,361	4,533	5,565	3,417	1,590
Ore Products, Crude Manfrs.	tons	164	13,494	4,752	31,062	698	6,430
Salt, Crude and Fine	tons	8,726	4,725	3,399	4,329	1,376	1,293
Zinc Slabs ... ..	tons	15,018	20,162	16,507	11,255	9,101	3,555
Timber ... ..	super ft.	297,120	332,640	289,920	101,280	43,200	...
All other Items ... ..	tons	25,867	24,672	16,766	15,781	5,406	5,158
<b>Interstate Exports—</b>							
Coal—Bunker ... ..	tons	246,994	210,570	155,516	151,199	47,425	44,558
Cargo ... ..	tons	2,229,622	1,896,474	1,382,239	1,249,302	438,472	253,471
Coke ... ..	tons	59,241	59,725	33,130	28,780	12,578	2,679
Calcare Ore... ..	tons	38,241	21,176	17,438	13,833	3,671	7,474
Iron and Steel Products—							
Corrugated and Sheet Iron	tons	53,867	59,752	40,914	45,165	16,317	12,671
Pipes and Tubes ... ..	tons	67,304	65,368	45,922	42,857	21,332	9,174
Wire ... ..	tons	42,039	42,409	30,014	41,907	12,286	14,588
Other ... ..	tons	133,638	118,124	86,604	97,482	41,759	36,123
Fenzol Products ... ..	40 cub. ft.	5,126	9,477	6,982	5,060	3,930	229
Building Board ... ..	40 cub. ft.	4,436	5,216	3,929	3,214	1,884	461
Stone ... ..	tons	2,523	1,497	967	...	504	...
Tar ... ..	tons	1,097	1,009	848	667	30	175
Timber ... ..	super ft.	1,041,600	932,160	856,320	140,150	293,280	84,480
Wheels and Axles ... ..	tons	1,014	1,874	853	2,061	449	462
Wool ... ..	bales	5,017	5,488	3,537	143	2,510	5
All other Items ... ..	tons	12,966	19,787	13,288	5,735	5,027	1,296

See Note under Table 39.

## No. 41.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Summary.

Values are in Australian currency f.o.b. at port of shipment.

Period.	Imports.			Exports.				
	Merchan- dise.	Bullion and Specie.	Total.	Merchandise.			Bullion and Specie.	Total.
				Aus- tralian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.		
Year ended 30th June—				£A. thousand.				
1939 ... ..	49,907	2,991	52,898	36,320	1,367	37,687	8,216	45,903
1945 ... ..	112,814	2,588	115,402	58,211	2,616	60,827	10	60,837
1946 ... ..	86,076	1,638	87,714	73,530	2,860	76,390	451	76,841
1947 ... ..	93,030	991	94,021	113,043	3,476	116,519	61	116,580
1948 ... ..	150,353	1,564	151,917	131,655	3,007	134,662	88	134,750
1949 ... ..	177,211	908	178,119	173,195	3,414	176,609	145	176,754
1950 ... ..	214,030	587	214,617	213,451†	3,075	216,526†	65	216,591†
Nine months ended 31st March—								
1949 ... ..	131,489	666	132,155	126,266	2,573	128,839	112	128,951
1950 ... ..	152,721	284	153,005	156,742	2,076	158,818	36	158,854
1951* ... ..	210,066	1,676	211,742	226,274	2,831	229,105	54	229,159
1948-49—September Qr. ...	43,308	130	43,438	38,233	941	39,174	58	39,232
December Qr. ...	40,848	479	41,327	47,954	776	48,730	34	48,764
March Qr. ...	47,333	57	47,390	40,079	856	40,935	20	40,955
June Qr. ...	45,722	242	45,964	46,929	841	47,770	33	47,803
1949-50—September Qr. ...	46,545	159	46,704	38,318	712	39,030	27	39,057
December Qr. ...	47,250	116	47,366	51,181	664	51,845	8	51,853
March Qr. ...	58,926	9	58,935	67,243	700	67,943	1	67,944
June Qr. ...	61,309	303	61,612	56,709†	999	57,708†	29	57,737†
1950-51*—September Qr. ...	71,243	1,115	72,358	41,488	924	42,412	17	42,429
December Qr. ...	62,514	350	62,864	90,371	1,040	91,411	10	91,421
March Qr. ...	76,399	211	76,520	94,415	867	95,282	27	95,309

\*Subject to revision.

† Revised.

## No. 42.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales—By Countries.

Country.	Imports of Merchandise. (Country of Origin.)				Exports of Merchandise.			
	Nine Months ended 31st March.		Quarter ended 31st March.		Nine Months ended 31st March.		Quarter ended 31st March.	
	1950.	1951.*	1950.	1951.*	1950.	1951.*	1950.	1951.*
United Kingdom ... ..	75,785	98,704	29,256	35,603	54,771	63,513	21,024	22,552
Canada ... ..	4,965	5,462	1,619	1,765	1,186	1,076	419	401
Ceylon ... ..	2,668	3,649	931	1,115	1,292	2,239	733	733
India and Pakistan ... ..	8,899	12,434	4,278	5,335	10,302	4,433	3,545	888
Hong Kong ... ..	255	660	77	237	1,703	1,653	663	624
Malaya and Singapore ... ..	2,401	6,707	1,101	2,802	1,971	3,620	692	1,295
New Guinea and Papua ... ..	1,252	1,715	455	632	2,900	3,707	1,005	1,217
New Zealand ... ..	1,302	1,721	452	529	6,079	8,251	2,164	2,356
Union of South Africa ... ..	1,126	1,140	379	317	453	606	286	287
Other British Countries ... ..	6,550	7,591	1,363	2,228	4,415	5,620	1,329	2,133
Total British Countries ... ..	105,203	139,783	39,911	50,563	85,072	94,718	31,860	32,486
Belgium ... ..	1,082	2,901	339	1,282	12,096	18,624	4,976	5,303
France ... ..	2,895	4,298	1,398	1,571	14,674	25,056	5,848	9,685
Germany ... ..	1,515	4,465	688	1,444	5,754	11,063	2,642	4,442
Italy ... ..	2,100	4,544	853	1,561	5,723	14,885	3,120	9,203
Netherlands ... ..	1,051	2,418	327	727	1,407	2,070	652	664
Sweden ... ..	2,079	4,202	839	2,034	571	1,966	342	388
Switzerland ... ..	1,202	1,131	274	586	494	680	325	228
Arabia ... ..	1,834	3,355	662	1,084	464	444	235	122
Persia ... ..	2,148	2,926	899	885	394	216	270	52
Egypt ... ..	65	334	13	138	1,974	2,913	1,072	631
China ... ..	632	1,059	219	361	87	160	38	38
Japan ... ..	1,988	3,567	980	1,051	7,661	16,871	4,344	9,099
Indonesia ... ..	2,823	4,056	1,373	1,809	151	809	115	275
U.S.A. ... ..	16,535	17,157	6,664	6,492	12,532	25,922	6,737	15,856
Other Foreign Countries ... ..	6,683	9,977	2,377	3,221	9,681	12,708	5,284	6,810
Total Foreign Countries ... ..	44,632	66,390	17,905	24,246	73,663	134,387	36,000	62,796
Country Not Disclosed ... ..	140	211	17	174	83	...	83	...
Outside Packages ... ..	2,746	3,682	1,093	1,326	...	...	...	...
Total Merchandise, All Countries ... ..	152,721	210,066	58,926	76,309	158,818	229,105	67,943	95,282
Bullion and Specie (excluded above) ... ..	284	1,676	9	211	36	54	1	27

\* Subject to revision.

## No. 43.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales—Principal Items.

Article Imported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.				
	1950.		1951.		1950.		1951.		
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	
		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.	
Fish—									
In tins   ... ..	thous. lb.	4,685	624	6,007	757	3,211	417	2,976	385
Other   ... ..	...	...	354	...	520	...	135	...	147
Nuts, Edible   ... ..	...	...	335	...	627	...	84	...	338
Dates   ... ..	thous. lb.	3,947	81	5,450	114	3,946	81	5,450	114
Spices   ... ..	...	...	196	...	335	...	89	...	110
Tea   ... ..	thous. lb.	18,287	3,820	22,262	5,045	7,483	1,630	7,532	1,766
Coffee   ... ..	...	2,950	285	1,872	337	863	119	547	105
Cocoa, Cocoa Beans, etc.   ... ..	...	5,511	596	4,597	1,006	767	109	1,152	276
Whisky   ... ..	pf. gal.	156,740	302	226,977	411	48,600	96	76,312	137
Tobacco   ... ..	thous. lb.	10,922	2,709	11,917	3,483	5,357	1,593	5,775	1,693
Cigarettes and Cigars   ... ..	" "	2,803	1,552	2,843*	2,540	1,285	590	961	870
Hides and Skins—									
Cattle and Calf   ... ..	thous.	28	31	36	76	9	10	8	18
Goat   ... ..	" "	538	250	566	353	172	83	127	80
Other Hides and Skins   ... ..	...	...	49	...	74	...	18	...	12
Linseed   ... ..	thous. lb.	22,603	675	18,881	610	12,453	367	...	...
Linseed Oil   ... ..	thous. gal.	572	375	1,032	675	386	257	144	100
Copra   ... ..	cwt.	489,306	1,229	324,225	944	164,870	409	105,167	328
Cotton, Raw   ... ..	thous. lb.	10,481	1,216	14,018	2,587	4,054	529	4,232	991
Gums and Resins   ... ..	...	...	336	...	636	...	180	...	233
Plastic Materials   ... ..	...	...	567	...	962	...	253	...	357
Yarns—									
Cotton   ... ..	thous. lb.	1,710	502	2,394	946	520	155	1,212	455
Rayon   ... ..	" "	2,684	983	10,178	2,411	895	313	2,328	838
Other Yarns   ... ..	...	...	271	...	297	...	72	...	108
Sewing Cottons and Threads   ... ..	thous. lb.	556	504	414	435	174	144	121	137
Bags and Sacks—									
Corn and Flour   ... ..	thous. doz.	1,308	1,998	1,338	2,674	470	559	712	1,482
Woolpacks   ... ..	doz.	120,367	1,013	182,002	710	78,922	720	117,900	353
Other Bags and Sacks   ... ..	...	...	175	...	64	...	163	...	63
Piece Goods—									
Knitted or Lockstitched   ... ..	lb.	379,490	177	566,159	383	71,226	38	214,350	138
Not Knitted or Lockstitched—									
Cotton and Linen   ... ..	thous. sq. yds.	64,981	8,781	73,683	10,977	19,556	2,606	26,354	4,124
Rayon   ... ..	" "	16,366	3,656	22,285	5,170	4,415	974	5,332	1,305
Silk   ... ..	" "	229	92	623	268	60	22	136	82
Woolen   ... ..	" "	3,365	1,568	2,172	1,148	1,507	662	997	466
Hessian and Jute Pieces   ... ..	" "	12,709	709	15,906	1,152	3,491	217	5,802	452
Canvas and Duck   ... ..	" "	2,683	494	4,094	882	1,139	214	1,631	351
Other   ... ..	" "	320	71	477	84	72	18	154	33
Furnishing, Technical and Treated									
Fabrics and Felts   ... ..	...	...	1,022	...	1,712	...	456	...	747
Cord and Tyre Fabric   ... ..	...	...	863	...	1,276	...	335	...	503
Total, Piece Goods   ... ..	...	...	17,433	...	23,052	...	5,642	...	8,201
Towels and Towelling   ... ..	...	...	818	...	369	...	247	...	135
Handkerchiefs   ... ..	doz.	474,584	253	597,792	300	71,632	28	112,192	63
Trimmings and Ornaments   ... ..	...	...	713	...	992	...	247	...	335
Floor Coverings—									
Linoleum   ... ..	thous. sq. yds.	2,972	552	3,201	640	1,196	201	1,011	197
Carpets   ... ..	" "	1,931	2,073	2,074	3,007	692	765	721	1,160
Mats   ... ..	" "	...	136	...	96	...	46	...	28
Petroleum Oils—									
Petroleum, Crude   ... ..	thous. gal.	14,199	341	51,243	1,470	2	...	19,302	661
Petroleum and Shale Spirit   ... ..	" "	93,444	4,457	107,219	5,940	40,605	2,131	37,761	2,156
Kerosene (Power and									
Other)   ... ..	" "	26,316	980	23,863	1,108	9,162	411	8,383	402
Residual   ... ..	" "	80,983	1,902	67,530	2,031	15,966	454	30,929	1,004
Lubricating   ... ..	" "	10,060	1,175	8,538	1,153	1,781	256	3,270	478
Other   ... ..	" "	...	2,866	...	3,511	...	1,012	...	677
Total, Petroleum Oils   ... ..	...	...	11,721	...	16,213	...	4,264	...	5,378
Colour Pigments for Paints   ... ..	...	...	620	...	833	...	245	...	244
Asbestos, Crude and Fibre   ... ..	cwt.	97,203	276	211,591	571	49,752	149	55,569	163
Iron and Steel—									
Plate and Sheet   ... ..	ton	51,021	3,159	89,645	5,702	21,426	1,324	31,855	2,066
Other   ... ..	...	73,685	3,342	99,152	3,950	33,166	1,478	34,641	1,381
Aluminium   ... ..	cwt.	116,947	866	115,596	961	19,013	175	11,292	145
Copper—Pigs, Ingots, etc.   ... ..	" "	318,347	2,503	232,074	2,178	54,147	503	35,937	387
Cutlery   ... ..	...	...	508	...	741	...	205	...	233
Hand Tools   ... ..	...	...	957	...	1,021	...	357	...	358
Aircraft and Parts   ... ..	...	...	541	...	537	...	250	...	189
Motor Cars, Trucks and Buses—									
Bodies   ... ..	No.	21,995	3,528	23,421*	3,769*	11,009	1,744	8,719	1,422
Chassis   ... ..	...	42,364	9,681	47,907	13,082	18,013	4,303	16,940	4,474
Parts and Accessories   ... ..	...	...	4,056	...	5,088	...	1,716	...	1,783

No. 43.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales—Principal Items—*continued.*

Article Imported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	1950.		1951.		1950.		1951.	
	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.
		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.
Motor Cycles and Parts ... ..	...	722	...	680	...	296	...	226
Tractors and Parts ... ..	...	3,283	...	4,086	...	1,260	...	1,485
Electrical Equipment—								
Cable and Wire ... .. cwt.	143,108	1,983	118,305	1,652	47,434	651	68,243	884
Radio Equipment ... ..	...	161	...	364	...	64	...	116
Telephone and Telegraph Equipment ... ..	...	2,072	...	2,303	...	932	...	696
Heating and Cooking Appliances ... ..	...	132	...	248	...	42	...	103
Electric Motors ... ..	...	713	...	703	...	222	...	264
Vacuum Cleaners ... ..	...	172	...	270	...	80	...	123
Adding Machines, Typewriters, etc. ... ..	...	1,153	...	1,821	...	414	...	746
Textile Industries Machinery ... ..	...	1,546	...	1,583	...	515	...	559
Metal-working Machinery ... ..	...	1,266	...	1,834	...	455	...	531
Crude Rubber ... .. cwt.	190,404	1,278	259,419	5,448	100,279	743	83,412	2,269
Other Rubber incl. manufactures ... ..	...	542	...	935	...	185	...	393
Timber—								
Undressed ... .. thous. sup. ft.	82,431	2,221	126,203	4,102	25,711	689	55,207	1,892
Other ... ..	...	532	...	1,033	...	203	...	516
Crockery ... ..	...	849	...	977	...	330	...	336
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	835	...	1,179	...	263	...	348
Wood Pulp for Paper ... .. ton	9,943	322	9,455	532	5,735	175	5,638	372
Printing Paper ... ..	61,273	2,577	58,744	3,114	18,147	827	16,870	1,044
Writing and Typewriting Paper ... .. cwt.	28,318	153	98,621	536	10,414	55	54,414	294
Wrapping Paper ... ..	...	521	...	1,372	...	222	...	580
Books, Printed ... ..	...	794	...	934	...	236	...	286
Fountain Pens and Pencils ... ..	...	336	...	263	...	85	...	56
Toys ... ..	...	413	...	674	...	55	...	106
Combs, Toilet ... ..	...	31	...	28	...	9	...	8
Jewellery ... ..	...	661	...	917	...	220	...	268
Timepieces ... ..	...	789	...	917	...	287	...	340
Cinematograph Films ... .. thous. lin. ft.	70,845	681	55,955	697	15,212	206	16,010	228
Surgical, Dental and Veterinary Instruments ... ..	...	586	...	933	...	263	...	366
Drugs, Chemicals and Fertilizers—								
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations ... ..	...	936	...	1,770	...	416	...	720
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations ... ..	...	185	...	280	...	61	...	83
Fertilizers ... ..	...	212	...	213	...	96	...	52
Dyes ... ..	...	194	...	275	...	47	...	102
Other (Salts of Acids, etc.) ... ..	...	1,721	...	3,232	...	605	...	1,151
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives ... ..	...	710	...	876	...	274	...	506
Total, Merchandise ... ..	...	152,721	...	210,066	...	58,926	...	76,309
Bullion and Specie—								
Gold ... .. fine oz.	21,626	268	106,645	1,651	...	...	13,471	208
Silver and Bronze ... ..	...	16	...	25	...	9	...	3
Total, Imports Oversea ... ..	...	153,005	...	211,742	...	58,935	...	76,520

## No. 44.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian Produce.

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	1950.		1951.		1950.		1951.	
	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.
		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.
Meats—								
Preserved by Cold Process—								
Beef and Veal ... .. thous. lb.	3,579	166	1,872	146	1,681	80	510	43
Lamb ... ..	14,226	683	2,409	150	4,110	200	255	17
Mutton ... ..	10,789	287	2,947	98	5,905	138	383	17
Pork ... ..	625	57	753	89	179	18	408	43
Offals ... ..	5,325	234	4,078	191	1,554	74	1,177	66
Poultry ... .. thous. pairs	929	1,104	443	731	360	283	150	171
Rabbits and Hares ... ..	6,340	1,192	633	153	569	99	344	94
Bacon and Hams ... .. thous. lb.	1,202	162	1,156	171	413	61	314	44
Preserved in Tins ... ..	8,305	646	9,052	992	2,050	192	2,964	394
Other Meats ... ..	...	306	...	196	...	110	...	59
Total, Meats ... ..	...	4,837	...	2,917	...	1,255	...	948



No. 44.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian Produce—continued.

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.				
	1950.		1951.		1950.		1951.		
	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity	Value.	
Butter ... .. thous. lb.	9,396	£A.thous. 1,256	4,767	£A.thous. 769	4,911	£A.thous. 606	1,624	£A.thous. 307	
Milk and Cream—									
Preserved, Condensed, etc. „ „	1,897	107	1,552	89	1,261	67	645	37	
Dried, Powdered and Malted „ „	11,889	923	6,602	463	5,357	422	3,618	239	
Cheese ... .. „ „	868	92	740	94	319	34	228	28	
Infants' and Invalids' Food „ „	4,410	409	5,026	474	1,817	184	1,257	133	
Eggs—									
In Shell ... .. thous. doz.	8,777	1,040	3,741	517	1,322	179	143	27	
Not in Shell ... .. „ lb.	6,062	843	8,079	832	665	69	582	59	
Wheat ... .. thous. bushels	19,283	14,170	12,229	10,602	9,116	6,871	989	934	
Flour ... .. thous. lb.	410,835	7,250	507,862	9,276	125,484	2,333	186,463	3,294	
Total Wheat and Flour as thous. bushels of wheat ...	20,144	21,420	24,417	19,878	12,128	9,204	5,464	4,228	
Rice ... .. „ „	...	683	...	943	...	187	...	246	
Biscuits ... .. thous. lb.	1,140	58	1,731	89	457	24	500	25	
Vegetables—									
Fresh ... .. „ „	5,855	75	3,951	71	1,448	21	810	19	
Dried—									
Potatoes ... .. „ „	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Other ... .. „ cwt.	193	1	5	...	1	...	...	...	
Preserved in Liquid ... thous. lb.	8,123	344	1,772	107	2,045	81	694	49	
Fruits—									
Fresh ... .. „ „	7,080	170	*	339	631	18	*	20	
Dried ... .. „ „	2,219	136	10,521	510	840	56	430	30	
Preserved in Liquid—									
Peaches ... .. „ „	7,438	250	5,111	212	342	15	53	2	
Other ... .. „ „	4,061	180	4,037	261	938	46	545	63	
Jams and Jellies ... .. „ „	8,665	340	3,287	159	1,440	62	686	33	
Sugar, Refined ... .. „ ton	3,967	161	4,250	213	1,377	59	1,404	67	
Confectionery ... .. thous. lb.	15,289	1,346	10,696	750	4,701	390	2,964	178	
Aerated and Mineral Waters ... „	...	4	...	7	...	2	...	2	
Bran, Pollard and Sharps thous. lb.	18,924	209	14,543	236	4,943	91	6,704	99	
Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors ...	...	116	...	143	...	41	...	33	
Tobacco, Cigarettes and Cigars ...	...	130	...	142	...	37	...	55	
Hides and Skins—									
Kangaroo ... .. thous. lb.	451	125	372	165	85	25	65	29	
Rabbit and Hare ... .. „	4,799	745	5,481	1,282	671	103	921	175	
Cattle and Calf ... .. „ No.	102,390	459	83,033	594	19,246	114	15,630	126	
Sheep and Lamb—									
With Wool ... .. „ thous.	3,304	2,453	2,036	3,595	1,300	995	664	1,450	
Without Wool ... .. „	...	76	...	180	...	39	...	72	
Wool—									
Greasy ... .. „ thous. lb.	392,452	87,432	269,880	145,244	143,012	40,275	105,494	71,602	
Scoured and Carbonised „ „	35,961	9,481	34,171	19,482	14,174	4,396	7,760	6,126	
Other ... .. „ „	5,078	1,241	3,492	1,761	1,947	584	970	674	
Total, Wool—000 lb. as in the grease	481,400	98,154	351,500	166,487	178,000	45,255	124,400	78,402	
Woollen Yarns ... .. thous. lb.	68	49	96	95	17	13	18	20	
Textiles—									
Blankets and Blanketing ... ..	...	8	...	21	...	4	...	7	
Piece Goods—									
Woollen ... .. thous. sq. yds.	146	83	72	61	21	13	18	13	
Cotton ... .. „ „	202	31	640	124	62	8	382	67	
Apparel—									
Socks and Stockings ... .. doz. pr.	4,699	9	3,615	9	1,800	4	787	2	
Garments—									
Knitted ... .. „ „	...	36	...	58	...	13	...	18	
Not Knitted ... .. „ „	...	63	...	64	...	16	...	14	
Other Apparel ... .. „ „	...	145	...	21	...	102	...	9	
Tallow ... .. „ „	ton	4,104	401	3,509	397	1,385	113	269	32
Colour Pigments for Paints ... ..	...	207	...	223	...	49	...	54	
Silver-lead Concentrates ... .. ton	5,307	228	10,655	620	2,350	85	3,704	255	
Zinc Concentrates ... .. „	9,154	181	18,749	958	...	...	4,589	232	
Metals—									
Iron and Steel—									
Ingot and Slabs ... .. „ ton	6,396	98	1,764	29	2,769	46	1,511	25	
Bar and Rod ... .. „ „	8,093	178	9,326	206	4,255	96	3,332	75	
Plate and Sheet ... .. „ „	5,653	232	6,362	333	2,616	104	2,263	119	
Pipes, Tubes and Fittings „ „	8,086	364	14,141	461	3,523	101	10,099	227	
Girders, Joists ... .. „ „	1,997	60	1,039	26	1,201	26	252	9	
Other ... .. „ „	3,678	85	3,474	100	1,528	33	1,555	42	
Total, Iron and Steel ... .. „	33,903	1,017	36,106	1,155	16,892	406	19,012	497	
Zinc and Spelter ... .. „ „	1,257	146	1,997	412	471	71	490	121	
Lead ... .. „ „	30,757	3,445	22,029	2,747	18,369	1,909	1,830	302	

\* Not available.

**No. 44.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales—Principal Items of Australian Produce—continued.**

Article Exported.	Nine Months ended 31st March.				Quarter ended 31st March.			
	1950.		1951.		1950.		1951.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.		£A.thous.
Hand Tools ... ..	...	128	...	115	...	40	...	38
Railway and Tramway Vehicles ... ..	...	26	...	25	...	12	...	3
Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances ... ..	...	657	...	751	...	234	...	201
Motive Power Machinery ... ..	...	315	...	355	...	97	...	122
Agricultural and Dairy Farm Machinery ... ..	...	133	...	188	...	72	...	58
Mining and Road-making Machinery ... ..	...	301	...	336	...	162	...	145
Metal-working Machinery ... ..	...	52	...	147	...	19	...	32
Refrigerating Appliances and Parts ... ..	...	210	...	233	...	48	...	59
Rubber Tyres and Tubes ... ..	...	40	...	80	...	17	...	31
Other Manufactures of Rubber ... ..	...	43	...	49	...	9	...	21
Leather and Manufactures ... ..	...	489	...	537	...	206	...	229
Timber, Undressed      thous. sup. ft.	21,313	704	13,762	604	8,017	227	5,391	239
Cement ... .. ton	7,242	44	13,539	93	2,078	17	690	4
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	169	...	292	...	44	...	81
Books, Printed ... ..	...	232	...	380	...	75	...	109
Sporting Goods and Toys ... ..	...	58	...	123	...	17	...	22
Drugs and Chemicals—								
Patent and Proprietary Medicines ... ..	...	176	...	251	...	61	...	57
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations ... ..	...	85	...	101	...	36	...	39
Soap ... ..	...	47	...	105	...	22	...	46
Insecticides and Disinfectants ... ..	...	17	...	85	...	6	...	38
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives ... ..	...	633	...	1,481	...	174	...	366
All Merchandise—								
Australian Produce ... ..	...	156,742	...	226,274	...	67,243	...	94,415
Other Produce ... ..	...	2,076	...	2,831	...	700	...	867
Total Merchandise ... ..	...	158,818	...	229,105	...	67,943	...	95,282
Total Bullion and Specie—								
Gold ... .. fine oz.	5	...	19	...	...	...	...	...
Silver and Bronze ... ..	...	36	...	54	...	1	...	27
Total, Exports Oversea ... ..	...	158,854	...	229,159	...	67,944	...	95,309

**No. 45.—Shipping, Oversea and Interstate—New South Wales.**

Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician from records of the Department of Trade and Customs. The statistics are exclusive of war vessels, cable laying vessels, yachts and vessels engaged only in intrastate trade, and, during the war period, vessels engaged exclusively in the transport of troops, war equipment and supplies.

Year ended 30th June.	Vessels Entered.		Cargoes Discharged.				Cargoes Shipped.			
	No.	Net Tonnage.	Oversea.		Interstate.		Oversea.		Interstate.	
			Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.
						thousand tons.				
1939 ...	3,319	11,241,842	1,179	1,112	3,167	676	1,679	359	2,736	672
1940 ...	2,947	9,342,559	1,277	1,052	3,368	657	1,926	337	2,604	734
1941 ...	2,706	7,778,044	1,163	665	2,950	722	1,543	494	3,686	693
1942 ...	2,392	6,476,398	1,358	749	2,926	699	1,090	559	3,694	654
1943 ...	1,783	4,461,578	1,240	753	2,590	501	995	706	3,596	515
1944 ...	1,783	4,662,457	1,384	931	2,777	638	1,073	985	3,360	475
1945 ...	1,800	5,078,645	1,620	1,075	2,817	668	972	710	3,298	420
1946 ...	1,761	5,527,830	1,624	1,001	2,154	442	930	631	2,831	316
1947 ...	1,821	6,058,108	1,409	653	2,867	322	1,205	573	3,119	275
1948 ...	1,948	6,486,841	1,563	938	2,740	368	1,493	424	3,242	352
1949 ...	2,157	7,943,576	1,737	1,112	2,336	344	1,866	422	3,089	347
1950 ...	2,242	8,757,480	2,254	1,311	2,694	282	1,576	424	2,791	306

One ton measurement = 40 cubic feet.



No. 46.—Shipping at Principal Ports of New South Wales.

Oversea, Interstate and Intrastate.

Compiled by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales. Vessels engaged in the transport of troops, war equipment and supplies are included, warships are excluded.

Period.	Sydney.				Newcastle.				Port Kembla.			
	Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.		Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.		Vessels Entered.		Cargoes.	
	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.	No.	Net Tonnage.	Discharged.	Shipped.
Year ended 30th June—		thous.	thous. tons.		thous.	thous. tons.			thous.	thous. tons.		
1939 ...	7,384	11,650	5,128	2,567	4,273	5,099	2,086	4,574	850	1,225	1,045	747
1945 ...	3,805	6,479	5,850	3,207	2,308	3,013	1,458	4,501	447	901	972	654
1946 ...	3,671	6,286	5,398	2,600	2,307	2,957	1,285	4,231	299	606	674	379
1947 ...	3,628	5,837	4,875	2,605	2,399	3,293	1,695	4,628	361	927	895	538
1948 ...	3,750	6,225	5,315	2,372	2,320	3,430	1,678	4,720	351	928	885	579
1949 ...	4,142	7,590	5,350	2,812	2,367	3,411	1,470	4,701	335	730	924	510
1950 ...	3,927	8,149	5,658	2,637	2,119	3,190	1,598	4,164	403	971	1,081	434
Nine Months ended Mar.—												
1950 ...	2,912	6,118	4,098	1,953	1,569	2,358	1,151	3,026	282	685	725	327
1951 ...	3,072	6,268	4,785	1,720	1,634	2,237	1,358	2,855	404	1,176	1,081	406

No. 47.—Air Transport—Regular Services, New South Wales.

These statistics, compiled by the Department of Civil Aviation, relate to regular services with terminal in New South Wales (excluding one oversea service). Where a journey extends over more than one of these services, particulars of passengers, freight and mail carried are duplicated in the statistics.

Period.	Hours Flown.	Miles Flown.	Passengers.	Passenger Miles.	Freight.		Mail.	
					Tons (Gross).	Ton Miles.	Tons (Gross).	Ton Miles.
		thous.		thous.		thous.		thous.
OVERSEA SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	3,786	605	6,489	8,673	32	43	108	178
1946 ...	22,645	4,265	16,551	34,305	152	406	564	2,033
1947 ...	32,033	5,921	32,057	77,029	349	978	465	2,112
1948 ...	38,354	7,200	42,248	122,783	623	2,238	584	3,093
1949 ...	38,078	7,485	44,914	140,078	762	2,796	570	3,297
1950 ...	37,868	8,017	58,158	156,749	1,106	3,937	645	3,420
Sept. Qtr.—								
1949 ...	8,617	1,811	10,731	33,699	215	804	130	698
1950 ...	11,424	2,425	17,819	53,450	436	1,555	193	1,074
INTERSTATE SERVICES.*								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	33,490	4,680	133,982	59,821	1,196	547	1,911	967
1946 ...	42,601	6,160	198,113	84,752	2,238	988	961	441
1947 ...	56,872	8,986	397,795	171,231	5,664	2,507	492	221
1948 ...	79,180	12,783	570,004	241,845	10,655	4,833	489	220
1949 ...	86,857	14,217	669,137	277,122	14,301	6,482	622	281
1950 ...	83,270	14,314	697,783	292,838	19,464	8,913	1,429	653
Sept. Qtr.—								
1949 ...	21,100	3,655	161,362	66,992	5,748	2,625	876	401
1950 ...	21,425	3,737	170,215	71,305	5,995	2,748	193	87
INTRASTATE SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	1,817	154	4,019	860	4	1	1	...
1946 ...	2,558	244	7,602	1,307	24	5	1	...
1947 ...	7,086	886	54,046	10,176	351	75	7	1
1948 ...	13,061	1,673	95,599	18,933	465	98	7	1
1949 ...	13,108	2,051	120,297	23,487	619	126	13	2
1950 ...	17,806	2,520	153,474	29,344	1,330	283	22	4
Sept. Qtr.—								
1949 ...	4,488	623	34,939	6,791	374	76	9	2
1950 ...	4,415	657	36,829	7,076	452	109	4	1
TOTAL—ALL SERVICES.								
Year ended 30th June—								
1945 ...	39,093	5,439	144,490	69,354	1,232	591	2,020	1,145
1946 ...	67,804	10,669	222,266	120,364	2,414	1,399	1,526	2,474
1947 ...	96,591	15,794	483,898	258,436	6,364	3,560	964	2,334
1948 ...	130,595	21,656	707,851	383,561	11,743	7,168	1,080	3,314
1949 ...	140,043	23,753	834,348	440,687	15,682	9,404	1,205	3,580
1950 ...	138,944	24,851	909,415	478,930	21,899	13,133	2,095	4,078
Sept. Qtr.—								
1949 ...	34,205	6,089	207,032	107,482	6,337	3,505	1,015	1,101
1950 ...	37,264	6,819	224,863	131,831	6,883	4,412	390	1,162

\* Includes a proportion of intrastate traffic.

## No. 48.—State Railways of New South Wales—Finances and Traffic.

Year ended 30th June.	Capital Cost at 30th June. *	Earnings. †	Working Expenses.		Capital Charges.		Total Expenditure.	Surplus or Deficit (—).	Passenger Journeys.	Goods Carried (excluding Live-stock).
			Ordinary.	Special Charges.	Interest, Ex-change, etc.	Sinking Fund.				
					£ thousand.				mill.	mill. tons.
1939...	147,618	19,146	14,127	165	6,079	747	21,118	(—) 1,172	186'7	14'7
1945...	153,100	31,577	23,544	1,000	6,136	1,152	31,832	545	254'1	17'8
1946...	154,976	31,313	24,687	...	5,981	1,295	31,903	150	267'4	15'9
1947...	157,231	30,353	25,377	...	5,854	1,480	32,711	(—) 1,558	261'6	16'5
1948...	165,839	36,906	30,448	...	5,816	1,330	37,594	112	263'0	17'4
1949...	173,100	39,663	35,366	...	5,613	1,400	42,379	(—) 1,916	263'1	16'9
1950...	181,724	40,122†	38,707	165	5,995	1,550	46,417	(—) 2,495	258'2	15'9

\* Length of lines open at 30th June, 1950, 6,112½ miles. † Excluding annual grant of £800,000 from Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on developmental railways. ‡ See note † Table 49.

## No. 49.—State Railways of New South Wales.

## Earnings, Working Expenses and Traffic—Quarterly.

Quarter ended.	Earnings.	Working Expenses.*	Passenger Journeys.	Goods Carried (excluding Livestock).
	£ thousand.	£ thousand.	thousands.	thousand tons.
1949—March...	9,892	8,851	65,548	4,044
1950—March ...	10,926	9,979	65,637	4,334
June ...	11,073	11,327†	68,822	4,176
September ...	10,762	11,104	67,177	4,495
December ...	12,297	11,277	66,057	4,519
1951—March ...	12,345	12,312	66,828	3,690

\* Including proportion of sinking fund for retirement of assets which in Table 48 is classified as "Sinking Fund." † Includes amounts not wholly applicable to quarter. ‡ Earnings exclude a special grant of £3m. by the Commonwealth Government towards losses due to an industrial dispute in coal mines, June to August, 1949.

## No. 50.—State Tramways and Omnibuses—Finances.

(Services operated by the Department of Road Transport and Tramways in the Metropolitan and Newcastle Transport Districts.)

Period.	Capital Cost at 30th June.		Earnings.						Expenditure.		Surplus or Deficit (—).
			Metropolitan.		Newcastle.		Total.	Operating Ex- penses.	Current Depreciation and Capital Charges.		
	Trams.	Buses.	Trams.	Buses.	Trams.	Buses.					
Year ended 30th June.	£ thousand.										
1939	9,139	889	3,244	838	205	87	4,374	3,707	646	21	
1945	8,715	1,178	4,013	1,223	307	247	5,790	5,348	537	(—) 95	
1946	8,727	1,193	4,071	1,302	299	264	5,936	5,826	489	(—) 379	
1947	8,736	1,628	4,080	1,432	280	314	6,106	6,228	479	(—) 601	
1948	8,754	2,631	4,984	2,127	326	417	7,854	7,895	635	(—) 676	
1949	7,168	3,862	4,822	3,062	276	581	8,741	8,580	471	(—) 310	
1950†	6,891	4,573	4,640	3,548	152	759	9,099	9,538	565	(—) 804	
Nine Months ended											
March, 1950†	...	...	3,478	2,639	142	541	6,800	7,111	*	*	
March, 1951	...	...	3,801	2,965	†	789	7,555	8,170	*	*	

\* Not available. † Earnings exclude a special grant of £200,000 by the Commonwealth Government towards losses due to an industrial dispute in coal mines, June to August, 1949. ‡ Services discontinued from 10th June, 1950.

## No. 51.—State Tramways and Omnibuses—Traffic.

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Passengers.					Omnibus Mileage.		
	Metro- politan.  *	Newcastle.	Total. *			Metro- politan.	Newcastle.	Total.
			Trams.	Buses.	Trams and Buses.			
			thousands.					
1939 ... ..	351,264	23,935	310,784	64,415	375,199	11,344	1,324	12,668
1945 ... ..	499,612	46,297	424,225	121,684	545,909	14,262	3,486	17,748
1946 ... ..	497,343	45,161	417,344	125,160	542,504	15,058	3,491	18,549
1947 ... ..	490,092	43,870	403,170	130,792	533,962	16,065	3,936	20,001
1948 ... ..	468,963	43,429	367,739	144,653	512,392	18,851	4,307	23,158
1949 ... ..	449,012	42,310	312,941	178,381	491,322	23,847	5,392	29,239
1950 ... ..	436,224	41,454	274,681	202,997	477,678	27,421	6,881	34,302

\* Exclusive of Sydney Harbour Bridge passengers whose journey did not extend beyond the Bridge Section.

## No. 52.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.

(Exclusive of Vehicles of Defence Services.)

At end of Month.	Cars. *	Public Passenger Vehicles. †	Lorries, Utilities and Vans.	Total of Fore-going.	Cycles.		Traders' Plates.	Tractors. ‡	Trailers.	Total on Register.
					Solo.	Sidecar.				
1939—June	213,331	4,807	76,726	294,864	17,180	6,971	1,164	1,035	6,414	327,628
1942— "	167,395	4,763	71,248	243,406	10,538	4,785	708	1,366	6,965	267,768
1945— "	182,972	4,853	82,957	270,782	12,043	4,025	651	1,746	9,065	298,312
1946— "	188,191	5,213	97,176	290,580	15,546	4,946	848	2,056	11,067	325,043
1947— "	195,857	5,631	113,544	315,032	19,316	5,856	1,160	2,374	14,712	358,450
1948— "	210,506	6,262	127,413	344,181	23,501	6,575	1,438	3,398	18,317	397,410
1949— "	232,837	6,635	140,338	379,810	29,198	7,181	1,781	4,455	21,525	443,950
1950— "	269,250	7,134	159,226	435,610	34,732	7,729	2,189	5,404	24,840	510,504
1950—Mar.	256,403	6,959	153,525	416,887	33,463	7,637	2,032	5,124	24,197	489,340
Dec.	291,832	7,606	170,894	470,332	36,648	7,883	2,403	6,044	26,528	549,838
1951—Jan.	294,554	7,634	172,339	474,527	36,897	7,921	2,394	6,156	27,049	554,944
Feb.	297,140	7,649	173,990	478,779	37,231	7,949	2,395	6,200	27,233	559,857
Mar.	299,620	7,663	175,908	483,191	37,738	7,996	2,413	6,375	27,400	565,113

\* Excluding public passenger vehicles.

† Classification is shown in the following table.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

## No. 53.—Public Passenger Motor Vehicles Registered in New South Wales.

At end of Month.	Metropolitan and Newcastle.				Other Districts.				Tourist Vehicles, all Districts.	Total, New South Wales.
	Omni-buses.	Taxi-cabs.	Hire Cars.	Total.	Omni-buses.	Taxi-cabs.	Hire Cars.	Total.		
1939—June	777	1,311	558	2,646	653	554	855	2,062	99	4,807
1942— "	890	1,352	541	2,783	687	652	633	1,972	81	4,763
1945— "	1,023	1,351	531	2,905	868	630	450	1,948	...	4,853
1946— "	1,069	1,357	480	2,906	960	765	511	2,236	71	5,213
1947— "	1,168	1,431	491	3,090	1,032	874	534	2,440	101	5,631
1948— "	1,436	1,632	496	3,564	1,158	926	491	2,575	123	6,262
1949— "	1,634	1,647	503	3,784	1,313	965	447	2,725	126	6,635
1950— "	1,818	1,695	516	4,029	1,436	1,065	459	2,960	145	7,134
1950—Mar.	1,774	1,656	515	3,945	1,402	1,018	453	2,873	141	6,959
Dec.	1,912	1,942	509	4,363	1,492	1,128	466	3,086	157	7,606
1951—Jan.	1,913	1,953	512	4,378	1,501	1,131	466	3,098	158	7,634
Feb.	1,906	1,964	511	4,381	1,507	1,134	468	3,109	159	7,649
Mar.	1,905	1,970	511	4,386	1,514	1,140	465	3,119	158	7,663

## No. 54.—Motor Vehicles—Registrations of New and Old Vehicles in New South Wales.

Period.	Cars.	Lorries, Utilities and Vans.	Omni-buses. *	Taxi-cabs. *	Total of Fore-going.	Cycles.	Tractors. †	Trailers.	Total.
NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED.									
Year ended June—									
1938	23,024	10,170	188	609	33,991	2,748	200	1,232	38,171
1939	19,924	7,712	130	569	28,335	2,196	209	1,505	32,245
1946	526	3,234	54	...	3,814	681	318	1,613	6,426
1947	7,998	5,487	116	7	13,608	2,850	254	2,950	19,662
1948	16,659	9,079	329	133	26,200	4,451	551	2,970	34,172
1949	25,466	11,674	339	186	37,665	7,442	806	3,371	49,284
1950	41,163	20,158	212	133	61,666	8,659	947	4,057	75,329
Quarter—									
1949—December	10,038	5,041	82	42	15,203	2,273	236	1,223	18,935
1950—March	10,101	5,080	38	25	15,244	2,321	240	1,215	19,020
June	14,131	6,419	55	43	20,648	2,174	249	888	23,959
September	13,698	7,360	39	70	21,167	1,889	294	798	24,148
December	12,563	7,944	19	112	20,638	2,296	284	1,357	24,575
1951—March	9,910	6,497	7	84	16,498	2,240	264	1,239	20,241
OLD VEHICLES RE-REGISTERED (AFTER LAPSE OF REGISTRATION).‡									
Year ended June—									
1939	19,194	12,206	68	122	31,590	4,811	98	861	37,360
1946	15,237	16,650	47	246	32,180	6,587	177	1,775	40,719
1947	10,142	17,839	62	379	28,422	5,731	365	2,485	37,003
1948	7,594	11,812	28	554	19,988	4,768	685	2,505	27,946
1949	7,986	9,304	115	492	17,897	3,951	559	1,857	24,264
1950	9,427	9,733	63	610	19,833	4,239	534	1,642	26,248
Quarter—									
1949—December	2,505	2,750	14	130	5,399	1,127	156	462	7,144
1950—March	2,398	2,276	19	143	4,836	1,102	97	446	6,481
June	2,455	2,211	10	193	4,869	987	163	346	6,365
September	2,677	2,388	20	303	5,388	1,069	157	342	6,956
December	3,211	2,519	101	261	6,092	1,322	182	470	8,066
1951—March	3,483	2,897	9	172	6,561	1,519	175	552	8,807

\* Metropolitan and Newcastle Districts only; similar vehicles in other districts are included as cars.

† Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

‡ Includes original registrations of ex-service vehicles.

## No. 55.—New Motor Vehicles Registered in N.S.W.—Makes.

Country of Origin and Make of Vehicle.	Year ended June.				Quarter ended—				
					1950.				1951.
	1939.	1948.	1949.	1950.	Mar.	June.	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.

**NEW MOTOR CARS REGISTERED.**

United Kingdom—Austin ... ..	1,055	1,120	3,648	8,106	1,797	2,774	1,901	1,745	1,139
Ford, 8 and 10 h.p. ... ..	900	1,017	2,718	4,514	1,117	1,712	1,660	1,226	671
Hillman ... ..	613	855	1,272	1,967	522	549	485	340	308
Morris ... ..	1,676	1,495	3,430	3,884	1,156	1,617	1,749	1,296	1,187
Standard ... ..	928	1,328	1,868	3,904	903	997	967	727	727
Vauxhall ... ..	2,084	1,844	3,241	3,081	744	948	756	822	747
Other ... ..	483	1,260	3,317	6,315	1,579	2,176	1,947	2,154	1,995
U.S.A. and Canada—Chevrolet ... ..	2,944	1,546	1,522	579	128	254	348	263	228
Chrysler-Plymouth ... ..	1,136	576	584	420	13	148	170	272	135
Dodge ... ..	1,030	736	657	385	16	171	201	233	185
Ford V8 and Mercury ... ..	2,822	2,132	651	1,346	343	217	455	383	198
Other ... ..	4,141	2,623	1,353	525	145	151	122	217	209
Totals—United Kingdom ... ..	7,739	8,919	19,494	31,771	7,818	10,773	9,465	8,310	6,774
U.S.A. and Canada ... ..	12,073	7,613	4,767	3,255	645	941	1,296	1,368	955
Australia (Holden) ... ..	...	...	779	4,814	1,367	1,758	2,213	2,003	1,703
Europe (excl. U.K.) ... ..	112	127	426	1,323	271	659	724	882	478
Total Cars ... ..	19,924	16,659	25,466	41,163	10,101	14,131	13,698	12,563	9,910

**NEW MOTOR LORRIES, UTILITIES AND VANS REGISTERED.**

United Kingdom—Austin ... ..	90	350	1,070	4,394	1,177	1,555	1,683	1,793	1,640
Bedford ... ..	966	639	1,808	2,254	507	665	833	802	574
Morris ... ..	440	105	1,080	1,757	451	540	602	884	848
Other ... ..	435	565	1,891	6,119	1,621	2,263	2,453	2,698	1,962
U.S.A. and Canada—Chevrolet ... ..	2,063	2,738	1,911	915	204	285	483	488	324
Dodge ... ..	389	571	452	684	229	180	180	172	184
Ford ... ..	1,837	2,110	1,199	1,887	430	503	644	542	275
International ... ..	499	762	958	467	90	96	58	170	112
Studebaker ... ..	55	181	244	49	...	17	72	11	4
Other ... ..	906	1,057	1,054	1,521	335	281	318	326	403
Totals—United Kingdom ... ..	1,931	1,659	5,849	14,524	3,756	5,023	5,571	6,177	5,024
U.S.A. and Canada ... ..	5,774	7,419	5,818	5,523	1,288	1,362	1,764	1,709	1,302
Australia (Holden) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	132
Europe (excl. U.K.) ... ..	32	1	7	111	36	34	25	57	39
Total Lorries, etc. ... ..	7,712	9,079	11,674	20,158	5,080	6,419	7,360	7,944	6,497

## No. 56.—New Motor Vehicles Registered in N.S.W.—Country of Origin.

Period.	Motor Cars.					Motor Lorries, Utilities and Vans.				
	Australia	United Kingdom	U.S.A., Canada.	Europe (exc. U.K.)	Total.	Australia	United Kingdom	U.S.A., Canada.	Europe (exc. U.K.)	Total.

**Year ended June—**

1939 ... ..	38.8	60.6	0.6	...	19,924	...	25.0	74.6	0.4	7,712
1947 ... ..	53.2	46.8	...	...	7,998	...	19.3	80.7	...	5,487
1948 ... ..	53.5	45.7	0.8	...	16,659	...	18.3	81.7	...	9,979
1949 ... ..	3.1	76.5	18.7	1.7	25,466	...	50.1	49.8	0.1	11,674
1950 ... ..	11.7	77.2	7.9	3.2	41,163	...	72.0	27.4	0.6	20,158

**Quarter—**

1947—March ... ..	52.9	47.1	...	...	2,110	...	16.9	83.1	...	1,174
June ... ..	47.2	52.8	...	...	2,449	...	21.0	79.0	...	1,578
September ... ..	51.7	48.0	0.3	...	3,656	...	16.0	84.0	...	2,314
December ... ..	44.3	55.0	0.7	...	3,997	...	16.7	83.3	...	2,529
1948—March ... ..	50.6	48.5	0.9	...	3,534	...	15.9	84.1	...	1,862
June ... ..	63.4	35.6	1.0	...	5,472	...	24.1	75.9	...	2,374
September ... ..	75.9	22.7	1.4	...	6,922	...	37.9	62.1	...	3,013
December ... ..	0.1	74.6	23.0	...	5,674	...	46.2	53.7	0.1	2,907
1949—March ... ..	2.3	79.0	17.1	1.6	5,362	...	50.1	49.8	0.1	2,507
June ... ..	8.6	76.9	13.0	1.5	7,508	...	64.9	35.1	...	3,247
September ... ..	6.6	79.8	11.9	1.7	6,893	...	63.9	35.9	0.2	3,618
December ... ..	12.3	76.5	8.4	2.8	10,038	...	68.1	31.2	0.7	5,041
1950—March ... ..	13.5	77.4	6.4	2.7	10,101	...	73.9	25.4	0.7	5,080
June ... ..	12.4	76.2	6.7	4.7	14,131	...	78.3	21.2	0.5	6,419
September ... ..	16.1	69.1	9.5	5.3	13,668	...	75.7	24.0	0.3	7,360
December ... ..	15.9	66.2	10.9	7.0	12,563	...	77.8	21.5	0.7	7,944
1951—March ... ..	17.2	68.4	9.6	4.8	9,910	...	77.3	20.1	0.6	6,497

## No. 57.—Road Accident Casualties—N.S.W.

Period.	Motor Drivers.	Motor Cyclists.	Pedal Cyclists.	Passengers.	Pedestrians	Others.	Total.
<b>KILLED.</b>							
Year ended June—1939 ... ..	66	66	80	164	164	12	552
1947 ... ..	68	74	41	157	153	15	508
1948 ... ..	58	67	52	154	160	17	508
1949 ... ..	77	92	43	156	182	14	564
1950 ... ..	73	105	41	142	194	6	561
Quarter—							
1950—March ... ..	14	29	11	52	34	1	141
June ... ..	22	33	7	31	71	2	166
September ... ..	25	25	11	41	55	3	160
December ... ..	21	30	8	56	51	1	167
1951—March ... ..	29	34	5	58	37	2	165
<b>INJURED.</b>							
Year ended June—1939 ... ..	1,047	938	1,297	2,945	2,045	116	8,388
1947 ... ..	1,145	1,011	894	3,469	2,111	122	8,752
1948 ... ..	1,168	1,162	963	3,052	2,100	112	8,557
1949 ... ..	1,314	1,440	926	3,332	2,155	86	9,253
1950 ... ..	1,571	1,852	988	3,492	2,420	82	10,405
Quarter—							
1950—March ... ..	360	460	242	862	499	29	2,452
June ... ..	446	527	254	966	784	23	3,000
September ... ..	402	411	199	848	655	17	2,532
December ... ..	516	637	238	1,051	662	8	3,112
1951—March ... ..	506	541	250	979	576	18	2,870

NOTE—In the year ended 30th June, 1950, there were 8,549 road accidents with casualties and 7,640 without casualties.

## No. 58.—State Revenue and Expenditure—New South Wales.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.					
	1945.†	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.
<b>REVENUE.</b>						
Governmental—						
Receipts from Commonwealth for—						
Uniform Tax—Reimbursement ... ..	14,991	15,045	16,128	18,302	21,879	25,331
Interest on Public Debt ... ..	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917
Losses caused by Coal Strike ¶ ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	61
Hospital Benefits etc. ... ..	...	...	1,058	1,210	1,789	2,005
Other ... ..	...	...	3	5	223	508
State Taxes* ... ..	6,082	7,146	8,041	9,533	10,454	11,937
Land, Mining, Forestry ... ..	1,654	1,649	1,862	2,658	2,887	3,279
Services Rendered ... ..	1,708	1,822	1,975	2,266	2,869	2,877
Miscellaneous—						
State Lotteries—Gross Profit ... ..	1,343	1,453	1,612	2,043	2,288	2,533
Repayments of Previous Years' Votes ... ..	795	918	846	548	685	943
Other ... ..	(a) 5,363	1,609	1,559	1,603	1,897	1,934
Total Governmental ... ..	34,853	32,559	36,001	41,085	47,888	54,325
Business Undertakings—						
Railways† ¶ ... ..	31,577	31,313	30,353	36,906	39,664	43,122
Tramways and Omnibuses ¶ ... ..	5,790	5,936	6,105	7,854	8,741	9,290
Sydney Harbour ... ..	1,446	1,420	1,380	1,447	1,569	1,658
Total Business Undertakings ... ..	38,813	38,669	37,838	46,207	49,974	54,079
Total Revenue§ ... ..	73,666	71,228	73,839	87,292	97,862	108,404
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>						
Governmental—						
Legislature and General Administration ... ..	2,176	2,046	2,220	3,288	3,349	3,722
Law, Order and Public Safety ... ..	3,145	3,335	3,768	4,466	4,977	5,533
Regulation of Trade and Industry ... ..	135	167	215	295	553	573
Education ... ..	6,552	7,055	8,590	9,642	11,206	13,170
Science, Art and Research ... ..	95	123	170	188	218	243
Public Health and Recreation ... ..	3,891	4,475	5,935	7,919	9,602	11,689
Social Amelioration ... ..	1,486	1,382	1,487	1,610	1,807	2,004
War Obligations ... ..	623	624	583	148	169	178
Development and Maintenance of State Resources† ... ..	3,686	3,723	4,524	4,371	4,898	5,566
Local Government ... ..	421	490	513	496	551	850
Adjustment of Old Accounts ... ..	312	666	400	700	50	540
Total (Ordinary Departmental) ... ..	22,522	24,086	28,414	33,123	37,380	44,068
Business Undertakings (Working Expenses)—						
Railways ... ..	24,570	24,708	25,406	30,471	35,393	38,913
Tramways and Omnibuses ... ..	5,519	5,983	6,378	8,155	8,734	9,755
Sydney Harbour ... ..	474	641	705	795	926	960
Total Business Undertakings ... ..	30,563	31,332	32,489	39,421	45,053	49,628
Public Debt Charges—						
Interest ... ..	11,485	11,207	10,693	10,818	11,127	11,653
Exchange on Interest ... ..	1,604	1,533	1,453	1,283	1,209	1,258
Sinking Fund... ..	(b) 6,524	2,700	2,640	2,769	2,929	2,974
Total Public Debt Charges ... ..	19,613	15,440	14,786	14,870	15,265	15,885
Total Expenditure§ ... ..	72,698	70,858	75,689	87,414	97,698	109,581
Surplus or Deficit ... ..	968	370	(—) 1,850	(—) 122	164	(—) 1,177

\* Details of taxes, see Table 60.

† Annual contribution, £800,000, from Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on developmental railways is omitted to avoid duplication.

‡ Includes exceptional items:—(a) £3,880,000; (b) £3,840,000.

§ Excludes Road Transport and Traffic Fund.

¶ A grant from the Commonwealth of £3,261,000 in 1949–50 towards revenue losses incurred in coal strike is in this statement credited to: Governmental £61,000, Railways £3,000,000, Tramways and Omnibuses £200,000.



## No. 59.—State Revenue and Expenditure—New South Wales.

Revenue.	Nine Months (July-Mar.).		Expenditure.	Nine Months (July-Mar.).	
	1949-50	1950-51		1949-50	1950-51
	£ thousand.			£ thousand.	
Governmental—			Governmental—		
From Commonwealth—			Departmental ... ..	30,307	35,039
Uniform Tax ... ..	15,291	18,342	Business Undertakings—Work-		
Interest on Debt ... ..	2,188	2,188	ing Expenses—		
Probate and Stamp Duty ... ..	6,733	8,423	Railways ... ..	27,929	35,029
Other Taxes ... ..	1,434	1,559	Trams and Buses ... ..	6,825	7,803
Land, Mining, etc. ... ..	2,149	2,187	Sydney Harbour ... ..	710	806
Services ... ..	1,571	2,318	Total ... ..	35,464	43,638
Miscellaneous ... ..	5,461	5,805			
Total ... ..	34,827	40,822	Debt Charges—		
			Exchange and Loan Manage-		
Business Undertakings—			ment ... ..	958	1,032
Railways ... ..	31,575 <sup>a</sup>	35,084	Interest ... ..	9,357	10,107
Trams and Buses ... ..	7,003 <sup>b</sup>	7,671	Sinking Fund... ..	2,652	2,781
Sydney Harbour ... ..	1,201	1,428			
Total ... ..	39,782	44,183	Less—Recoups by Other	12,967	13,920
Total Revenue ... ..	74,609	85,005	Accounts... ..	1,535	1,495
			Total† ... ..	11,432	12,425
			Total Expenditure ... ..	77,203	91,102

\* Includes Commonwealth grant towards losses caused by general coal strike: (a) £3,000,000, and (b) £200,000.  
† Total debt charges in respect of Governmental and Business Undertakings shown above.

## No. 60.—State Taxation—New South Wales.

The Australian States ceased to levy Income Tax from 1st July, 1942, and Entertainments Tax from 1st October, 1942, upon the introduction of the Commonwealth uniform tax schemes. The States are reimbursed for loss of tax revenue, by (a) an annual grant from the Commonwealth and (b) arrears of State Income Tax collected; the amounts received by New South Wales are shown below:—

Taxes.	Year ended 30th June.					
	1945.	1946.	1947.	1948.	1949.	1950.
	£ thousand.					
Income Tax* ... ..	526	472	345†	238†	143	159
Probate ... ..	2,780	3,317	3,690	4,611	4,872	5,140
Stamp Duties ... ..	1,337	1,654	2,136	2,462	2,809	3,979
Racing and Betting ... ..	687	882	906	1,067	1,355	1,353
Liquor Licenses ... ..	687	752	884	1,074	1,191	1,221
Other ... ..	65	69	80	81	84	84
	6,082	7,146	8,041	9,533	10,454	11,936
Motor Tax, Licenses, etc. ... ..	2,370	2,618	2,938	3,469	3,957	4,648
Total State Taxes ... ..	8,452	9,764	10,979	13,002	14,411	16,584
Commonwealth Reimbursement—Uniform Tax	14,991	15,045	16,128	18,302	21,879	25,331

\* Arrears of State Income Tax collected. † £4,309 applicable to 1946-47 was taken to account in 1947-48.

## No. 61.—State Loan Expenditure—New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Gross Loan Expenditure.	Repayments to Loan Account.	Net Loan Expenditure.	Year ended 30th June.	Gross Loan Expenditure.	Repayments to Loan Account.	Net Loan Expenditure.
	£ thousand.				£ thousand.		
1939 ... ..	8,788	3,386	5,408	1945 ... ..	3,139	1,416	1,723
1940 ... ..	6,945	1,059	5,886	1946 ... ..	4,554	1,291	3,263
1941 ... ..	5,362	1,019	4,343	1947 ... ..	9,102	462	8,640
1942 ... ..	4,618	1,460	3,158	1948 ... ..	16,241	1,112	15,129
1943 ... ..	2,789	888	1,901	1949 ... ..	22,960	904	22,056
1944 ... ..	3,029	1,618	1,411	1950 ... ..	27,218	2,368	24,850

The aggregate State Loan Expenditure on Works to 30th June, 1950, was as follows:—

Railways ... ..	£thous. 189,160	Water, Sewers, Drains ... ..	£thous. 41,677	Public Buildings, Sites... ..	£thous. 28,180
Trams and Buses ... ..	11,785	Water Conservation, Irrigation ... ..	26,977	Other ... ..	28,175
Harbours and Rivers ... ..	25,021	Industrial Undertakings ... ..	9,475		
Sydney Harbour Bridge ... ..	8,067	Grain Elevators... ..	5,348	Total (1853 to 1950)	415,851
Roads and Bridges ... ..	12,855	Land Settlement, Forests, etc. ... ..	29,131		



No. 62.—Public Debt and Annual Interest—New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Public Debt.					Annual Interest on Public Debt.†				
	Registered in—			Total of Fore- going.	Per Head of Popu- lation.	Payable in—			Total of Fore- going.	
	Aus- tralia.	London.	New York.			Aus- tralia.	Lon- don.	New York.		
	£A. thous.	£Stg. thous.	£thous.*	£thous.	£	£A. thous.	£Stg. thous.	£thous.*	£thous.	
1944 ... ..	186,888	153,414	11,669	351,971	121·93	6,096	5,749	564	12,409	
1945 ... ..	197,567	145,922	11,562	355,051	121·66	6,185	5,524	559	12,268	
1946 ... ..	197,198	144,675	11,367	353,240	119·96	6,169	5,152	549	11,870	
1947 ... ..	205,914	144,676	11,438	362,028	121·29	6,451	4,983	385	11,819	
1948 ... ..	233,099	139,672	11,309	384,080	126·96	7,280	4,430	381	12,091	
1949 ... ..	246,433	138,865	11,196	396,494	127·45	7,700	4,311	377	12,388	
1950 ... ..	279,390	134,826	11,073	425,289	131·86	8,637	4,125	373	13,135	

\* Dollars converted at \$4.8665 to £1. † Represents one year's interest on debt outstanding at 30th June.

**No. 63.—State Debt Sinking Fund—New South Wales.**

Year ended 30th June.	Contributions by—			Securities Repurchased and Redeemed.					
	Common- wealth.	New South Wales.	Total.*	Net Cost. (Aust. Currency).		Face Value.			
				Aust.	Oversea.	Aust.	London.	New York.	
	£ thousand.			£ thousand.		£ A. thous.	£ Stg. thous.	£ thous.†	
1944 ... ..	647	2,689	3,367	764	1,454	764	929	194	
1945 ... ..	671	2,944	3,642	2,674	2,161	2,674	1,595	107	
1946 ... ..	644	2,984	3,657	1,730	848	1,731	441	196	
1947 ... ..	648	2,938	3,627	3,144	277	3,134	...	183	
1948 ... ..	693	3,067	3,783	2,067	2,932	2,066	2,197	129	
1949 ... ..	745	3,256	4,020	3,769	370	3,749	169	113	
1950 ... ..	804	3,495	4,308	1,507	280	1,501	58	123	
Total, 1929-50 ...	13,215	43,289	57,281	27,459	27,190	27,389	19,058	3,411	

\* Includes interest earnings, £309,000; Federal Aid Roads, £469,000 to 30th June, 1950.

† Face value of securities converted at \$4.8665 to £1.

### No. 64.—Commonwealth Loans Raised by Public Subscription in Australia.

Date of Flotation.	Floated by Commonwealth on Account of all Australian Governments.					Share of New Raising Allocated to—	
	Interest Rate.	Issue Price.	Year of Maturity.	Amount of Loan.		New South Wales.	Other States.
				Con-version.	New Raising.		
	per cent.	£		£	thousand.	£	thousand.
1946—August ...	2	100	1949	4,593	...	...	...
" ...	3½	100	1955-58	7,879	...	...	...
October ...	2	100	1949	5,253	4,823	207	380
" ...	3½	100	1955-58	9,576	64,943	2,793	5,120
1947—April ...	2	100	1950	...	1,457	433	395
" ...	3½	100	1956-59	...	28,365	8,417	7,680
August ...	3½	100	1956-59	27,903	...	...	...
October ...	3½	100	1956-59	17,721	61,222	15,000	11,600
1948—April ...	3½	100	1957-60	...	43,294	12,855	16,173
October ...	3½	100	1962	48,920	50,965	3,635	11,365
1949—Mar.-Apr. ...	2	100	1952	29,502	14,875	1,996	2,691
" ...	3½	100	1960-63	31,263	61,752	8,287	11,171
Sept.-Oct. ...	2	100	1953	25,464	10,988	3,558	4,477
" ...	3½	100	1960-63	45,551	50,782	16,442	20,690
1950—March ...	2	100	1953	1,964	8,705	1,316	2,377
" ...	3½	100	1961-64	199	53,934	9,210	18,673
August* ...	2	100	1953	8,303	7,944	1,344	8,598
" ...	3½	100	1961-64	18,336	50,811	5,010	32,048
November* ...	2	100	1953	13,111	2,876	461	1,515
" ...	3½	100	1961-64	88,410	40,932	8,757	26,160

\* Subject to revision.

## No. 65.—Commonwealth—Revenue and Expenditure.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.			Nine Months (July-Mar.)	
	1949.	1950.	1951. (Estimates.)	1949-50.	1950-51.
<b>REVENUE.</b>					
	£ thousand.				
Customs ... ..	63,464	77,726	92,000	57,274	66,319
Excise ... ..	62,735	66,157	70,000	49,327	54,316
Sales Tax ... ..	39,029	42,424	58,000	30,831	39,938
Income Tax—Individuals ... ..	109,214	95,416	157,000	73,783	94,207
Companies ... ..	72,878	83,677	84,000		
Social Services Contribution ... ..	90,255	100,560	71,000	73,987	58,805
Wool Deduction ... ..	...	...	103,000	...	66,731
Pay Roll Tax ... ..	19,803	22,728	26,000	16,522	20,479
Land Tax ... ..	3,032	4,211	3,700	1,730	1,337
Estate Duty ... ..	4,740	6,054	6,500	4,398	4,103
Entertainments Tax ... ..	5,299	4,098	4,700	3,517	3,649
Gift Duty ... ..	582	745	700	548	702
Gold Tax ... ..	(—)	(—)	...	...	...
Total Taxes ... ..	471,027	504,387	676,600	311,917	410,646
Post Office ... ..	33,307	36,349	45,700	28,179	32,033
Broadcasting ... ..	...	1,934	1,950	1,396	1,407
Railways ... ..	1,605	1,804	2,008	1,300	1,362
Territories ... ..	738	926	900	595	784
From Trust Funds ... ..	17,000	6,700	...	14,351	8,939
Miscellaneous ... ..	11,371	12,479	11,500		
Primary Production* ... ..	535,048	566,579	738,658	357,738	455,171
	19,329	14,073	51,000	10,771	42,006
Total Revenue ... ..	554,377	580,652	789,658	368,509	497,177
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>					
Social Services†—					
Age and Invalid Pensions ... ..	41,694	44,557	51,500	32,965	36,179
Child Endowment ... ..	24,323	30,337	45,600	23,167	32,414
Hospital Benefits ... ..	5,880	6,320	6,200	4,748	5,031
Widows' Pensions ... ..	4,388	4,421	5,000	3,353	10,468
Maternity Allowances ... ..	2,829	3,008	3,140	2,254	
Unemployment and Sickness ... ..	1,070	2,506	2,250	2,179	937
Other ... ..	593	1,655	8,310	937	
To States—Tax Reimbursements ... ..	80,777	92,804	122,000	69,603	84,092
Other ... ..	53,488	62,271	75,274	37,327	44,988
Capital Works ... ..	25,116	38,861	35,931	31,117	28,294
Post Office ... ..	42,640	73,698	69,235	46,423	44,819
Broadcasting ... ..	40,884	47,512	49,816	30,418	35,840
Railways ... ..	35	2,872	3,403	1,983	2,626
Territories ... ..	2,594	2,792	3,139	1,707	1,902
Territories ... ..	5,768	7,293	7,895	4,701	5,676
Defence Services ... ..	55,904	41,746	133,383	29,155	61,785
War and Repatriation†—					
Debt Charges ... ..	57,761	58,324	60,428	...	...
Pensions ... ..	20,268	22,023	27,700	16,605	...
Other ... ..	78,181	62,359	69,592	48,843	71,357
Subsidies ... ..	...	...	44,438	...	29,001
Debt Charges, n.e.i. ... ..	3,493	3,452	3,976	49,781	51,879
Other ... ..	38,859	45,571	56,058	32,442	40,320
Primary Production* ... ..	505,768	561,578	762,268	400,105	502,579
	19,329	14,073	51,000	10,771	42,006
Total Expenditure ... ..	525,097	575,651	813,268	410,876	544,585

\* Self-balancing items. † Actual expenditure from National Welfare Fund. ‡ 1914-1918 war and 1939-1945 war.  
 § Includes £29 m. chargeable to Loan Fund. ¶ Included under "War and Repatriation—Other," viz., £ 23,069,000 in 1948-49 and £ 20,628,000 in 1949-50. || Debt charges attributable to these items are included in "Debt charges, n.e.i." below.

Expenditure from Loan Fund (other than Defence and Post-war which is included above) consisted of advances to States for housing; viz., £14,498,000 in 1948-49, and £17,215,000 in 1949-50. In the nine months ended March the amount was £11,465,000 in 1950 and £14,350,000 in 1951.

## No. 66.—Commonwealth Expenditure on Social Services\* in N.S.W.†

Year ended 30th June.	Age and Invalid Pensions.	Pensioners' Funeral Benefits.	Maternity Allowances.	Child Endowment.	Widows' Pensions.	Unemployment and Sickness Benefits.	Hospital Benefits.	Other Benefits.	Total of Foregoing.
£ thousand.									
1939 ...	6,415	...	168	...	...	...	...	...	6,583
1940 ...	6,628	...	161	...	...	...	...	...	6,789
1941 ...	7,054	...	155	...	...	...	...	...	7,209
1942 ...	7,866	...	133	4,473	...	...	...	...	12,472
1943 ...	9,250	...	104	4,580	949	...	...	...	14,883
1944 ...	8,867	38	889	4,862	1,147	...	...	...	15,803
1945 ...	8,994	61	983	4,700	1,200	...	...	...	15,938
1946 ...	11,225	73	967	7,077	1,295	475	15	...	21,127
1947 ...	12,277	84	1,155	7,728	1,355	438	1,465	8	24,510
1948 ...	15,061	77	1,089	7,603	1,583	378	1,597	42	27,430
1949 ...	17,489	110	1,070	9,313	1,762	380	2,162	82	32,368
1950 ...	18,736	96	1,155	11,611	1,773	1,549	2,427	260‡	37,607‡

\* Items listed in the National Welfare Fund. † Including Australian Capital Territory. ‡ Subject to revision.

## No. 67.—Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in N.S.W.\*

## (i) Total Pensioners and Payments.

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners at 30th June.				Payments during Year.		
	Age.	Invalid.	In Benevolent Asylums.	Total.	Pensions. †	To Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for Maintenance of Pensioners.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£ thousand.		
1939 ...	87,425	41,887	1,308	130,620	6,360	55	6,415
1944 ...	104,414	26,234	1,282	131,930	8,807	60	8,867
1945 ...	103,429	25,975	1,316	130,720	8,930	64	8,994
1946 ...	108,685	28,255	1,415	138,355	11,137	88	11,225
1947 ...	119,236	30,490	1,515	151,241	12,242	35	12,277
1948 ...	123,763	33,110	1,558	158,431	15,024	37	15,061
1949 ...	131,941	35,521	1,559	169,021	17,442	47	17,489
1950 ...	138,121	34,604	1,130	173,855	18,705	31	18,736

\* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† Includes payments to pensioners in benevolent asylums and hospitals, and since July, 1943, allowances to wives and children of invalid pensioners.

## (ii) Sex of Pensioners and Average Rates.

At 30th June.	AGE PENSIONERS.					INVALID PENSIONERS.				
	Pensions Current.			Weekly Rate.		Pensions Current.			Weekly Rate.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Maxi- mum.	Aver- age.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Maxi- mum.	Aver- age.
				s. d.	s. d.				s. d.	s. d.
1939 ...	37,633	49,792	87,425	20 0	19 3	17,630	24,257	41,887	20 0	19 5
1944 ...	38,876	65,538	104,414	27 0	26 0	11,597	14,637	26,234	27 0	26 6
1945 ...	37,748	65,681	103,429	27 0	25 3	13,117	12,858	25,975	27 0	26 5
1946 ...	39,752	68,933	108,685	32 6	31 4	14,446	13,809	28,255	32 6	31 9
1947 ...	42,886	76,350	119,236	32 6†	31 4	15,978	14,512	30,490	32 6†	31 9
1948 ...	43,640	80,123	123,763	37 6†	35 11	17,595	15,515	33,110	37 6†	36 6
1949 ...	48,194	83,747	131,941	42 6	40 1	19,426	16,095	35,521	42 6	41 2
1950 ...	49,624	88,497	138,121	42 6	39 11	19,068	15,536	34,604	42 6	40 11

† Increased to 37s. 6d. from 3rd July, 1947, and to 42s. 6d. from 21st October, 1948.

NOTE.—Pensioners in benevolent asylums receive allowance instead of pension; maximum rate per week was increased from 11s. 6d. to 13s. in July, 1947, and to 15s. in October, 1948.

## No. 68.—Commonwealth Child Endowment in N.S.W.\*

Year ended 30th June.	Claims in Force at 30th June.						Endowment Paid During Year.
	Family Groups.				Approved Institutions.		
	Claims.	Endowed Children.	Average per Claim.		Institutions.	Endowed Children.	
			Endowed Children.	Annual Liability.			
	No.	No.	No.	£ s. d.	No.	No.	£ thous.
1942 ...	192,558	356,460	1'851	24 1 4	67	3,820	4,473
1944 ...	198,651	359,373	1'809	23 10 4	96	5,324	4,862
1945 ...	205,472	365,436	1'779	34 13 7	106	5,357	4,700
1946 ...	211,946	375,395	1'771	34 10 9	107	5,776	7,077
1947 ...	222,668	390,915	1'756	34 4 8	114	5,776	7,728
1948 ...	233,826	407,368	1'742	33 19 6	115	5,815	7,603
1949 ...	247,027	426,991	1'729	44 18 10	115	5,466	9,313
1950 ...	263,959†	463,112†	1'754†	45 12 4†	115	5,892	11,611

\* Including Australian Capital Territory. † Excluding particulars in respect of the first child in the family under 16 years of age (see below).

NOTE.—Commonwealth Child Endowment commenced on 1st July, 1941; the rate was 5s. a week for each child under 16 years of age (except one) in the family and each child under 16 years of age in an approved institution; the rate was increased to 7s. 6d. from 26th June, 1945, and to 10s. from 9th November, 1948. From 20th June, 1950, endowment at the rate of 5s. a week was payable in respect of the first child in the family under 16 years of age.

## No. 69.—Commonwealth Widows' Pensions in N.S.W.\*

Year ended 30th June.	Pensions Current at 30th June.							Amount Paid during Year.
	Widow and Child.		Widow Aged 50 Years and Over.		Other Widows.	Total, All Widows.		
	No.	Average Rate per week.	No.	Average Rate per week.	No.	No.	Average Rate per week.	
		s. d.		s. d.			s. d.	£ thous.
1943 ...	7,519	30 3	7,439	24 7	40	14,998	27 5	949
1944 ...	7,344	30 10	8,990	25 3	46	16,380	27 9	1,148
1945 ...	6,924	30 9	10,051	25 3	47	17,022	27 6	1,201
1946 ...	7,096	36 2	10,218	25 2	41	17,355	29 8	1,295
1947†	7,456	36 2	9,055	25 5	61	16,572	30 3	1,355
1948 ...	7,764	40 8	9,374	30 1	95	17,233	34 10	1,583
1949 ...	7,751	45 8	9,537	35 3	114	17,402	39 11	1,762
1950 ...	7,573	45 4	9,395	35 0	111	17,079	39 7	1,773

\* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† An increase in rates, 5s. a week from 24th June, 1947, not taken into account. Rates were further increased by 5s. a week from 13th October, 1948.

NOTE.—The State of New South Wales supplements the pensions by allowances for children; 3,442 widows were receiving allowances at 30th June, 1950, and the amount paid in year ended 30th June, 1950, was £128,627.

## No. 70.—Commonwealth Maternity Allowances in N.S.W.\*

Year ended 30th June.	Amount of Allowance.	Annual Income Limit.	Confinements (approximate).	Maternity Allowances Paid.	
				No.	Amount.
1939 ...	4½ to 7½	247 to 338	No. 48,925	30,860	£ 167,710
1944 ...			61,530	57,792	888,850
1945 ...			62,560	61,755	988,453
1946 ...			61,500	60,730	966,967
1947 ...	15 to 17½†	No limit	74,100	73,110	1,154,674
1948 ...			68,500	68,116	1,080,449
1949 ...			68,200	67,534	1,070,126
1950 ...			72,500	73,566	1,155,379

\* Including Australian Capital Territory.

† For plural births, since April, 1944, £5 is added for each additional child born.

## No. 71.—Commonwealth Unemployment and Sickness Benefits in N.S.W.\*

Period.	Unemployment Beneficiaries on last Saturday in Period.	Benefits Paid during Period.			
		Unemployment.	Sickness.	Special. §	Total. §
	No.	£	£	£	£
Year—1945-46 ...	1,298	275,205	198,943	1,068	475,216
1946-47 ...	1,400	172,141	258,782	6,772	437,695
1947-48 ...	339	60,499	302,987	14,434	377,920
1948-49 ...	283	23,279	302,298	53,925	379,502
1949-50 ...	335	1,064,698	307,315	176,698	1,548,711
1949—July †	92,086	476,002	25,155	12,360	513,517
August †	3,809	506,887	23,510	16,170	546,567
September †	728	74,196	28,229	19,487	121,912
October ...	442	1,556	23,582	16,415	41,553
November ...	406	872	26,310	14,132	41,314
December ...	431	865	22,117	6,200	29,182
1950—January ...	407	1,019	28,808	22,400	52,227
February ...	381	529	22,836	18,923	42,288
March ...	315	327	28,951	14,405	43,683
April ...	305	828	22,802	10,312	33,942
May ...	287	709	22,170	13,337	36,216
June ...	335	908	32,845	12,557	46,310
July ...	513	1,021	17,474	5,602	24,097
August ...	250	3,240	33,534	5,255	42,029
September ...	227†	2,534	28,287	5,140	35,961
October ...	252†	1,492	22,995	4,008	28,495
November ...	150†	2,085	28,472	5,341	35,898
December ...	500†	1,178	25,239	4,189	30,606
1951—January ...	200†	4,092	21,270	2,987	28,349
February ...	200†	2,431	24,730	2,036	29,197
March ...	400†	1,476	23,842	2,058	27,376

\* Including Australian Capital Territory. † Subject to revision. ‡ Affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions. § Including payments to immigrants during training for employment.

NOTE.—These benefits, commenced on 1st July, 1945, are payable (subject to means test) to persons aged 16 to 65 years (females 60) whose normal earnings have been interrupted through unemployment, sickness or temporary incapacity. The weekly rate of benefit for unmarried minors is 15s. if under age 18 years, or 20s. if over 18 years, and for other persons 25s., plus 20s. for a dependent wife and 5s. for one dependent child.

## No. 72.—Commonwealth War and Service Pensions in N.S.W.\*

Year ended 30th June.	WAR PENSIONS.					SERVICE PENSIONS.				
	Pensions Current at 30th June.				Amount Paid During Year.	Pensions Current at 30th June.				Amount Paid During Year.
	Incapacitated Members of Forces.	Dependents of Incapacitated and Deceased Members of Forces.	All War Pensions.			Members of Forces.	Dependents.	All Service Pensions.		
			No.	Average Rate per Week.				No.	Average Rate per Week.	
1939 ...	25,924	55,392	81,316	s. d.	£thous.	2,333	1,539	3,872	s. d.	£thous.
1945 ...	40,381	64,639	105,020	12 4	2,674	2,814	1,205	4,019	13 3	118
1946 ...	53,744	84,845	138,589	15 6	4,068	3,069	1,134	4,203	20 9	200
1947 ...	59,148	92,611	151,759	13 11	4,875	3,603	1,153	4,756	25 3	253
1948 ...	60,464	96,522	156,986	13 9	5,064	3,994	1,223	5,217	26 6	276
1949 ...	62,552	101,689	164,241	14 4	5,985	4,191	1,185	5,376	30 0	446
1950—				16 4	6,714				34 6	442
'14 War	22,003	26,850	48,853			...	...	...		...
'39 War	42,995	81,841	124,836	27 7	3,537	...	...	...	20 9	200
				12 3	3,856	...	...	...	25 3	253
Total	64,998	108,691	173,689	14 4	5,985	4,303	1,173	5,476	30 0	446

\* Including Australian Capital Territory.

## No. 73.—Trading Banks—Deposits and Assets in Australia.

Average of Weekly Figures.

Month.	Deposits.			Balances due to Other Banks.	Assets.				
	Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		Cash Items.	Treasury Bills.	Special Deposits with Commonw'th Bank.	Govt. and Municipal Securities.	Advances etc.
NINE TRADING BANKS—£million.									
1939—June ...	117.1	200.9	318.0	§	28.6	23.9	...	22.1	291.7
1944— " ...	314.6	219.9	534.5	§	38.0	55.4	182.8	89.1	221.8
1945— " ...	358.5	224.0	582.5	§	36.5	46.5	241.8	104.3	207.9
1946— " ...	414.0	213.1	627.1	1.3	32.3	40.0	258.5	122.7	224.3
1947— " ...	446.7	201.6	648.3	2.5	34.4	13.8	275.4	80.6	289.7
1948— " ...	516.6	200.2	716.8	27.5‡	45.6	19.1	293.0	59.5	348.8
1949†— " ...	601.5	215.9	817.4	49.8	40.0	11.1	381.2	62.5	383.3
1950— " ...	765.5	239.4	1,004.9	45.8	51.1	20.2	442.8	96.5	427.2
1949†—October ...	610.1	211.3	821.4	20.2	51.8	25.2	307.0	75.7	400.7
November ...	644.1	221.1	865.2	21.5	56.3	30.6	320.3	76.1	404.6
December ...	692.4	222.2	914.6	17.1	58.0	44.4	337.5	77.5	404.0
1950—January ...	703.0	226.8	929.8	18.6	59.4	37.0	364.5	84.7	400.9
February ...	737.8	228.9	966.7	34.2	52.0	31.8	409.7	92.5	399.8
March ...	775.2	231.4	1,006.6	33.6	54.5	35.0	433.9	92.5	404.7
October ...	808.4	248.7	1,057.1	45.2	58.1	29.6	458.8	84.6	465.0
November ...	846.5	250.0	1,096.5	49.8	57.0	33.6	480.3	80.7	476.5
December ...	886.4	247.1	1,133.5	60.4	62.1	36.8	486.0	83.7	490.5
1951†—January ...	909.9	249.2	1,159.1	48.7	64.8	41.8	498.5	85.9	482.0
February ...	950.9	247.3	1,198.2	59.1	60.8	42.3	523.1	92.4	495.3
March ...	1,038.9	246.2	1,285.1	44.1	70.7	57.8	532.5	92.6	507.2

## COMMONWEALTH BANK (OTHER THAN CENTRAL BANKING)—£million.

1946—June ...	39.2	19.3	58.5	0.3	5.5	5.1	...	37.8	21.7
1947—" ...	43.3	16.1	59.4	0.3	6.4	2.1	...	35.7	28.9
1948—" ...	49.1	12.7	61.8	0.3	7.0	0.8	...	33.6	37.9
1949—" ...	57.4	12.5	69.9	11.0	5.9	...	...	34.4	57.7
1950—" ...	71.5	16.3	87.8	15.9	4.9	6.5	...	29.8	95.7
1951—January ...	88.0	18.2	106.2	17.4	6.9	19.4	...	27.8	98.8
February ...	7.2	18.1	115.3	17.9	11.2	23.3	...	26.6	103.6
March ...	111.5	18.3	129.8	21.0	14.4	38.5	...	25.1	114.0

## ALL TRADING BANKS\*—£million.

1946—June ...	461.5	237.6	699.1	1.8	39.4	45.8	260.6	173.5	270.4
1947—" ...	500.7	222.8	723.5	3.0	43.1	17.2	277.2	127.9	352.1
1948—" ...	580.9	219.1	800.0	28.6	50.5	21.0	294.0	106.4	444.6
1949†—" ...	678.6†	236.2	914.8†	61.0	49.1	12.2	382.8	111.5	482.9†
1950—" ...	861.9	270.0	1,131.9	62.0	59.4	27.9	447.8	139.0	574.2
1951—January ...	1,029.5	279.7	1,309.2	66.3	76.3	64.1	501.5	126.0	637.5
February ...	1,081.6	278.2	1,359.8	77.2	77.4	69.2	526.0	132.0	656.6
March ...	1,189.6	277.5	1,467.1	65.3	92.0	102.0	535.4	131.2	679.1

\* Nine private trading banks (shown above), the Commonwealth Bank (other than Central Banking), three State Banks, branches of three foreign banks and two other banks. Comparable figures for the Commonwealth Bank are not available prior to September, 1945.

† Since January, 1949, technical changes by certain banks in method of compilation have had the effect of reducing deposits (not bearing interest) and advances by like amounts (the amounts in months of change were approximately £6m. in January and £2.6m. in July, 1949).

‡ In Nine Trading Banks, the increase after June, 1947, consists mainly of short-term loans from central bank.

§ Not available.



**No. 74.—Trading Banks—Deposits and Advances in New South Wales.\***

Average of Weekly Figures.

Month.	Deposits.			Advances etc.	Month.	Deposits.			Advances etc.
	Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.			Not Bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
NINE TRADING BANKS—£million.					NINE TRADING BANKS—£million.				
1946—June	163.1	74.1	237.2	90.6	1950—Oct.	323.9	82.6	406.5	175.8
1947— "	174.6	69.7	244.3	116.5	Nov.	340.4	83.3	423.7	183.5
1948— "	197.5	67.9	265.4	142.9	Dec.	356.0	82.0	438.0	190.9
1949— "	228.1	73.2	301.3	150.4	1951—Jan.	361.9	81.5	443.4	183.7
1949—Oct.	234.2	71.8	306.0	154.9	Feb.	380.1	81.4	461.5	193.1
Nov.	248.0	74.3	322.3	156.2	Mar.	408.4	81.3	489.7	200.0
Dec.	270.7	76.2	346.9	154.3	ALL TRADING BANKS†—£million.				
1950—Jan.	281.5	77.6	359.1	151.6	1950—Oct.	388.7	99.5	488.2	358.8
Feb.	296.4	79.4	375.8	150.3	Nov.	406.7	101.1	507.8	268.1
Mar.	309.2	80.5	389.7	151.6	Dec.	426.6	100.2	526.8	277.0
Apr.	311.4	81.6	393.0	156.6	1951—Jan.	429.2	99.1	528.3	270.3
May	307.3	81.6	388.9	155.0	Feb.	454.5	98.7	553.2	280.9
June	311.8	82.2	394.0	166.2	Mar.	490.8	98.6	589.4	286.9
July	306.9	82.1	389.0	170.3					
Aug.	304.1	82.7	386.8	169.7					
Sept.	306.4	82.3	388.7	170.9					

\* Since January, 1949, technical changes by certain banks in method of compilation have had the effect of reducing deposits (not bearing interest) and advances by like amounts (the amounts in months of change were £5.8m. in January and £0.7m. in July, 1949).

† Four of the trading banks operating in Australia do not transact business in New South Wales. Comparable figures for N.S.W. are not available prior to January, 1949.

**No. 75.—Savings Banks in New South Wales and Australia.**

Period	New South Wales.				Australia.
	Transactions in Period.			Depositors' Balances. †	Depositors' Balances. †
	Deposits. *	Interest Credited.	Withdrawals. *		
Year ended 30th June—	£thousand.				
1940 ... ..	64,126	1,604	71,340	82,111	236,991
1941 ... ..	66,567	1,578	62,754	87,750	252,231
1942 ... ..	81,633	1,540	76,385	94,538	274,275
1943 ... ..	102,235	1,927	76,294	122,406	357,995
1944 ... ..	131,405	2,558	93,501	162,867	471,530
1945 ... ..	141,706	3,203	109,573	198,203	566,964
1946 ... ..	191,112	3,801	156,874	236,242	663,554
1947 ... ..	158,994	4,054	167,922	231,368	660,015
1948 ... ..	160,875	3,991	159,270	236,964	681,318
1949 ... ..	171,622	4,062	168,165	244,483	714,219
1950 ... ..	201,479	4,208	191,296	258,874	762,087
1948—Sept. Qtr. ... ..	42,145		41,863	237,246	684,955
Dec. „ ... ..	43,155		42,477	237,924	688,416
1949—Mar. Qtr. ... ..	42,956		40,598	240,282	696,336
June „ ... ..	43,545		43,227	244,483	714,219
Sept. „ ... ..	46,611		44,969	246,125	723,228
Dec. „ ... ..	51,163		48,269	249,019	732,127
1950—Mar. Qtr. ... ..	52,236		48,622	252,633	741,830
June „ ... ..	51,664		49,436	258,874	762,087
Sept. „ ... ..	55,180		54,358	259,696	766,455
Dec. „ ... ..	56,697		56,251	260,142	769,224
1951—Mar. Qtr. ... ..	77,089		58,550	278,681	817,849

\* Interstate transfers have been included as deposits and withdrawals since 1st July, 1941. † At end of period.

**Savings Certificates.\*—The net amounts of Savings Certificates outstanding were as follows:—**

At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.	At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.	At June 30.	N.S.W.	Australia.
	£thousand.			£thousand.			£thousand.	
1940 ...	2,440	6,100	1944 ...	15,690	43,721	1948 ...	25,719	64,483
1941 ...	6,480	17,380	1945 ...	19,173	52,534	1949 ...	25,081	62,198
1942 ...	9,485	26,171	1946 ...	20,013	54,677	1950 ...	22,330	55,025
1943 ...	12,539	35,146	1947 ...	21,983	59,526	31/3/51	19,857	49,736

\* Sales of certificates were discontinued after 31st January, 1949.



## No. 76.—Inter-Bank Clearings (Sydney).

(Value of cheques drawn on a Bank other than the Bank in which they were Deposited.)

Month.	Amount of Clearings *							Index Numbers †						
	1938-39.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1938-39.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
	£million.													
July ...	70.5	129.7	174.9	183.4	230.3	244.7	302.7	101	167	206	229	291	326	402
August ...	72.9	121.0	157.3	162.4	199.3	208.5	283.7	101	168	214	227	287	314	398
September ...	77.6	123.4	159.4	176.9	229.7	271.1	354.6	99	166	217	232	293	303	393
October ...	79.5	140.4	182.2	197.3	238.2	259.2	368.5	101	166	216	234	291	302	413
November ...	82.7	129.7	164.1	203.8	237.3	291.6	378.3	102	164	211	243	298	328	442
December ...	88.1	121.7	165.6	192.2	246.5	304.9	412.3	102	159	208	243	296	350	474
January ...	66.5	120.1	142.3	171.3	191.4	247.6	361.6	98	154	196	236	282	352	481
February ...	75.5	131.8	150.2	182.0	213.2	282.1	391.1	96	157	194	231	274	351	493
March ...	80.5	144.1	170.0	196.4	238.0	358.0	460.2	93	164	193	230	267	367	508
April ...	70.7	138.8	181.8	205.9	244.7	272.9	407.9	98	176	218	253	300	391	546
May ...	82.0	156.7	186.4	233.1	261.2	324.2	...	100	184	229	269	315	402	...
June ...	80.3	159.2	176.9	230.1	269.8	332.3	...	101	195	236	289	336	402	...
Year ended 30th June.	926.8	1,616.6	2,011.1	2,334.8	2,799.6	3,397.1	...	99	171	214	248	298	356	...

\* The amounts of clearings shown are the recorded totals less Treasury Bill transactions only.

† The index represents the ratio of each month's clearings (calculated on a three months' moving average) to the average for the corresponding period in the years 1926 to 1930 (taken as 100 in each month). The index is adjusted to eliminate the effects of Treasury Bill and other special transactions on behalf of Governments and the effects of bank amalgamations. No adjustment has been made for normal growth or change of price levels.

## No. 77.—Australian Note Issue—Notes held by Public in N.S.W. and Elsewhere.

Month.	Average of Weekly Figures.						
	1938-39.*	1944-45.	1945-46.	1946-47.	1947-48.	1948-49.	1950-51.
	£thousand.						
July ...	31,137	176,661	168,104	180,624	183,309	173,451	187,465
August ...	32,198	180,051	168,226	180,809	184,775	173,300	187,398
September ...	32,839	181,426	169,652	180,531	180,221	173,246	188,829
October ...	32,468	183,080	171,688	180,395	174,576	173,922	190,081
November ...	32,612	182,011	173,413	179,910	173,604	174,814	191,518
December ...	39,055	181,392	178,261	182,680	177,467	180,862	199,987
January ...	33,759	179,055	176,361	178,518	172,101	178,781	194,638
February ...	32,378	176,512	177,336	178,601	170,837	178,644	194,115
March ...	32,709	174,422	178,584	179,582	173,486	180,988	196,148
April ...	33,166	170,460	181,385	181,976	173,640	184,321	200,560
May ...	34,390	168,850	180,168	181,195	172,306	183,597	199,262
June ...	32,701	169,715	182,043	182,229	173,128	186,193	201,949
Year ended June	33,118	176,997	175,391	180,661	175,846	178,649	194,272

\* At last Monday in month.

† Excludes 27th December, 1950.

## No. 78.—Life Assurances in New South Wales.

Period.	Ordinary.		Industrial.		Total Sum Assured.	Ordinary.		Industrial.		Total Sum Assured.
	Policies.	Sum Assured.	Policies.	Sum Assured.		Policies.	Sum Assured.	Policies.	Sum Assured.	
New Policies Issued.										
Year*—	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.
1939	50,520	18,180	156,787	7,539	25,719	421,219	153,272	962,499	43,202	126,474
1942	45,766	15,442	122,077	6,583	22,025	486,028	174,833	1,123,511	51,883	226,716
1943	43,218	15,747	105,018	6,159	21,906	510,294	183,799	1,170,071	55,084	238,883
1944	51,278	21,038	110,560	7,062	28,100	544,475	199,290	1,221,480	59,059	258,349
1945	53,927	23,999	109,862	7,513	31,512	577,398	215,733	1,265,696	63,041	278,774
1946	81,677	38,078	128,266	9,803	47,881	632,307	243,419	1,308,385	68,076	311,495
1947	98,149	43,269	115,181	10,241	53,510	694,738	271,782	1,342,030	73,272	345,054
1948	99,282	47,956	115,336	11,076	59,032	756,782	304,734	1,375,788	78,947	383,681
1949†	94,665	49,357	113,568	11,332	60,689	812,643	337,512	1,402,907	84,404	421,916

New Policies issued (monthly).

Month—	1950.					1951.				
	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	No.	£thous.	£thous.
January ...	4,432	2,456	4,287	445	2,901	5,291	3,268	3,423	379	3,647
February ...	5,638	3,015	8,948	918	3,933	5,833	4,073	7,893	876	4,949
March ...	8,262	4,692	10,731	1,131	5,823	7,597	5,364	8,164	914	6,278
April ...	6,925	4,147	7,025	734	4,881	...	...	...	...	...
May ...	8,540	5,003	11,530	1,202	6,205	...	...	...	...	...
June ...	8,883	5,557	8,406	880	6,437	...	...	...	...	...
July ...	7,814	4,942	10,709	1,126	6,068	...	...	...	...	...
August ...	8,381	5,331	8,918	925	6,256	...	...	...	...	...
September ...	11,600	6,455	11,094	1,170	7,625	...	...	...	...	...
October ...	6,355	4,179	10,620	1,097	5,276	...	...	...	...	...
November ...	8,970	6,083	8,787	931	7,014	...	...	...	...	...
December ...	9,646	7,636	5,504	580	8,216	...	...	...	...	...
Year ...	95,446	59,496	106,559	11,139	70,635	...	...	...	...	...
March Quarter	18,332	10,163	23,966	2,494	12,657	18,721	12,705	19,480	2,169	14,874

\* The annual data supplied by each company relate to its financial year (ended mainly in September or December of year specified).

† Preliminary.

## No. 79.—Real Estate Transactions-New South Wales.

(Registered under Real Property Act or Registration of Deeds Act.)

Period.	Conveyances and Transfers.		Mortgages.	Month.	Conveyances and Transfers.			Mortgages.		
					1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.	1948-49.	1949-50.	1950-51.
Year ended 30th June—	No.	£thous.	£thous.		£thousand.					
1939 ...	50 295	35,272	25,068	July ...	4,617	7,022	15,240	2,244	3,816	8,870
1945 ...	43,521	23,350	7,611	August ...	5,137	6,711	15,021	2,307	4,200	5,380
1946 ...	60,734	35,660	13,950	September ...	4,842	8,097	15,813	2,338	4,010	5,153
1947 ...	87,532	57,899	25,046	October ...	4,904	7,197	13,941	2,560	4,496	4,958
1948 ...	79,694	60,202	30,924	November ...	5,514	11,210	13,240	2,718	3,892	6,556
1949 ...	86,201	62,229	32,518	December ...	4,796	9,607	15,623	2,418	6,543	4,244
1950 ...	105,589	125,952	57,382	January ...	4,749	9,346	17,300	2,199	3,555	6,232
July-April—				February ...	4,475	10,314	15,778	2,838	4,187	6,070
1949-50 ...	82,691	93,610	42,901	March ...	6,242	12,896	14,979	3,477	4,644	5,605
1950-51 ...	89,361	151,670	58,977	April ...	5,193	11,211	14,735	2,529	3,558	5,901
				May ...	5,674	17,212	...	3,105	9,802	...
				June ...	6,086	15,129	...	3,785	4,679	...

## No. 80.—Stock Exchange Index (Sydney).

The following index of the values of the principal Company shares on Sydney Stock Exchange embraces the ordinary shares of companies (excluding banking companies) whose business is conducted wholly or largely in New South Wales.

The prices of individual shares are unweighted, and each group average is the mean of the average monthly prices per £1 of paid-up capital. The aggregate index is the average of all the shares included in the groups with the addition of 24 miscellaneous shares. There is no base period as the index represents the ratio per cent. of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values, adjustment being made where capital is written off or bonus shares are issued.

Average for Period.	23 Manufacturing and Distributing Companies.	10 Retail Companies.	8 Public Utility Companies.	5 Pastoral and Finance Companies.	5 Insurance Companies.	Total 75 Companies.*	34 Active Shares included in foregoing.
Year ended June—							
1939 ...	208.1	175.3	170.9	122.2	258.8	175.6	182.0
1945 ...	240.4	202.7	162.5	145.2	261.7	192.2	206.9
1946 ...	262.9	223.5	181.2	154.4	287.3	210.2	226.7
1947 ...	304.8	277.9	195.7	164.4	347.6	240.0	256.0
1948 ...	347.2	312.6	185.0	178.6	403.5	262.6	274.0
1949 ...	350.4	300.8	168.1	180.3	438.6	258.2	267.1
1950 ...	367.3	301.2	157.2	197.3	514.8	270.0	275.5
Month—							
1948—June ...	362.7	319.6	177.2	187.6	497.0	267.7	279.4
1949—June ...	326.9	274.4	153.1	171.7	462.3	242.4	246.4
1950—March ...	389.4	315.2	159.0	202.6	545.4	285.4	285.6
June ...	399.3	318.7	155.3	227.4	576.7	293.6	297.5
September ...	419.1	330.4	157.2	254.3	601.6	306.4	310.4
October ...	429.1	338.5	156.5	249.8	611.2	312.1	315.4
November ...	468.1	357.9	164.3	279.4	673.0	334.8	335.7
December ...	468.3	356.8	164.6	279.3	683.6	334.9	334.3
1951—January ...	485.6	374.8	166.3	308.2	680.6	346.9	349.0
February ...	486.1	380.6	167.7	309.9	696.5	349.3	346.4
March ...	492.4	385.2	168.7	305.2	698.6	350.3	343.3
April ...	509.0	393.1	172.0	309.6	707.6	356.1	352.0

\* Including 24 Miscellaneous Companies.

## No. 81.—Company Registrations in New South Wales.

Period.	New Local Companies Registered.							Foreign Com- panies Regist'd.	Increases of Capital, Companies Limited by Shares.		
	Limited by Shares.				No Liability.		Limited by Guar- antee.		No.	No.	
	Number.		Nominal Capital.		No.	Nominal Capital.		No.			No.
	Propri- etary.	Other.	Propri- etary.	Other.			No.		No.		
			£thous.	£thous.		£thous.				£thous.	
Year ended 31st December.											
1939	...	811	34	12,841	3,268	2	120	27	74	99	5,977
1945	...	223	12	6,714	1,045	...	...	16	27	63	2,478
1946	...	1,535	14	21,926	2,477	1	10	26	66	169	7,216
1947	...	1,601	20	34,066	2,480	1	25	35	88	296	23,163
1948	...	1,534	39	36,519	11,600	4	260	27	109	296	30,437
1949	...	1,022	38	29,113	21,617	2	105	26	86	317	35,250
1950	...	1,345	63	40,022	33,321	2	40	36	117	523	83,728
Year ended 30th June.											
1947	...	1,742	4	28,162	170	1	10	29	84	231	16,547
1948	...	1,618	38	35,943	7,544	3	75	35	101	276	22,844
1949	...	1,202	36	31,057	12,028	2	210	21	97	330	39,541
1950	...	1,164	40	34,446	21,231	3	135	29	104	339	53,045

\* Foreign companies are those with original registration outside New South Wales.

## No. 82.—Basic Wages—Industrial Awards—N.S.W.

Rates per week—Adult Males.

Year.	Sydney.				State Crown Employees— All Districts, N.S.W.			
	February.	May.	August.	November.	February.	May.	August.	November.
	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.
1939* ...	81	82	81	82	80	80	80	80
1940 ...	82	83	85	85	81	81	83	84
1941 ...	88	88	89	89	86	87	87	88
1942 ...	91	93	95	97	90	92	94	96
1943 ...	98	98	100	99	97	97	99	98
1944 ...	99	98	98	99	97	97	97	98
1945 ...	99	98	98	99	97	97	97	97
1946 ...	99	99	100	{ 101 108† }	98	98	99	{ 99 106† }
1947 ...	108	110	110	112	107	108	109	111
1948 ...	114	116	120	122	113	115	118	121
1949 ...	124	127	130	132	123	126	129	131
1950 ...	135	138	142	{ 146 165† }	134	137	141	{ 145 165 }
1951 ...	173	180			173	180		

\* In 1939 quarterly variations commenced in March, June, September and December.

† As a result of judgements of Commonwealth Arbitration Court, special increases were awarded, viz., 7s. in December, 1946, and 19s. (State Crown Employees, 20s.) in December, 1950.

**FEMALE WAGES**—The minimum wage per week payable to adult females (Sydney) was £6 3s. 6d. from December, 1950, £6 9s. 6d. from February, 1951 and £6 15s. from May 1951.

### No. 83.—Employment in New South Wales—Wage and Salary Earners in Civil Employment, Governmental and Private.

(1) The estimates shown below are based on the Census of 1933 and subsequent quasi-censuses (e.g., Civilian Register, 1943, and Occupation Survey, 1945), and returns supplied monthly by governmental authorities and since July, 1941, by employers for purposes of Commonwealth Pay-roll Tax. (2) The number of employees recorded on Pay-roll Tax returns relates to those whose names appeared on the last pay-roll of the month irrespective of whether they were actually working at the end of the month. (3) Working proprietors, wage earners in rural industry, female domestics in private households, members of defence forces at home or abroad and Government "relief" workers are not included.

Month.	Males.			Females.			Persons.		
	Government.*	Private.	Total.	Government.*	Private.	Total.	Government.*	Private.	Total.
thousands.									
1933—June ...	103·2	277·4	380·6	16·8	109·0	125·8	120·0	386·4	506·4
1939—July ...	136·5	393·4	529·9	19·4	148·6	168·0	155·9	542·0	697·9
1941—July ...	141·5	406·2	547·7	21·7	196·6	218·3	163·2	602·8	766·0
1942—July ...	158·6	377·4	536·0	29·3	208·3	237·6	187·9	585·7	773·6
1943—July ...	156·9	365·2	522·1	46·1	207·7	253·8	203·0	572·9	775·9
1944—July ...	152·4	371·8	524·2	45·4	205·6	251·0	197·8	577·4	775·2
1945—June ...	156·0	380·0	536·0	43·6	204·3	247·9	199·6	584·3	783·9
September ...	155·3	383·4	538·7	41·3	205·6	246·9	196·6	589·0	785·6
1946—March ...	162·1	430·0	592·1	35·4	207·9	243·3	197·5	637·9	835·4
June ...	169·0	449·5	618·5	33·4	208·9	242·3	202·4	658·4	860·8
September ...	170·2	467·3	637·5	32·1	213·2	245·3	202·3	680·5	882·8
December ...	172·7	474·7	647·4	31·2	219·5	250·7	203·9	694·2	898·1
1947—March ...	175·5	486·2	661·7	32·0	219·6	251·6	207·5	705·8	913·3
June ...	178·2	493·6	671·8	32·3	219·8	252·1	210·5	713·4	923·9
September ...	180·4	503·0	683·4	32·6	224·1	256·7	213·0	727·1	940·1
December ...	181·7	506·9	688·6	32·6	228·2	260·8	214·3	735·1	949·4
1948—March ...	183·6	512·2	695·8	33·4	226·7	260·1	217·0	738·9	955·9
June ...	186·1	516·2	702·3	33·6	228·3	261·9	219·7	744·5	964·2
September ...	187·8	517·0	704·8	33·7	232·0	265·7	221·5	749·0	970·5
December ...	189·9	520·4	710·3	34·2	237·0	271·2	224·1	757·4	981·5
1949—March ...	191·4	526·1	717·5	35·2	233·9	269·1	226·6	760·0	986·6
June† ...	195·4	510·1	705·5	36·0	227·8	263·8	231·4	737·9	969·3
September ...	196·7	519·2	715·9	37·3	232·7	270·0	234·0	751·9	985·9
December ...	200·0	526·9	726·9	38·2	240·1	278·3	238·2	767·0	1,005·2
1950—March ...	201·8	534·9	736·7	38·7	240·0	278·7	240·5	774·9	1,015·4
June ...	202·7	538·1	740·8	39·1	239·4	278·5	241·8	777·5	1,019·3
July ...	203·5	536·9	740·4	39·3	239·7	279·0	242·8	776·6	1,019·4
August ...	204·4	538·4	742·8	39·0	240·6	279·6	243·4	779·0	1,022·4
September ...	204·6	540·3	744·9	39·1	242·6	281·7	243·7	782·9	1,026·6
October ...	203·7	542·5	746·2	39·5	246·2	285·7	243·2	788·7	1,031·9
November ...	203·9	544·4	748·3	39·8	249·4	289·2	243·7	793·8	1,037·5
December ...	205·8	545·6	751·4	39·7	250·1	289·8	245·5	795·7	1,041·2
1951—January ...	206·3	545·8	752·1	40·6	244·3	284·9	246·9	790·1	1,037·0
February ...	206·8	547·6	754·4	41·3	247·0	288·3	248·1	794·6	1,042·7
March ...	206·9	545·4	752·3	41·0	247·7	288·7	247·9	793·1	1,041·0

\* Employees of Commonwealth, State and Local Governmental Authorities and of Allied Governments.

† Affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions. See note (2) above.

# No. 84.—Employment in New South Wales—Wage and Salary Earners in Principal Industrial Groups.

(Excluding rural, household domestics and defence forces.)

See comment at head of preceding table.

Month.	Mining and Quarrying.	Factories.*	Building and Construction.	Transport and Communication.	Finance and Property.	Wholesale Trade, etc.	Retail Trade.	Professional and Personal Services.†	Other.†	Total Wage and Salary Earners.
MALES (thousands).										
1933—June ...	18.1	94.5	55.1	65.0	78.4	44.2	25.3	380.6		
1939—July ...	24.7	158.8	57.9	77.4	59.0	41.6	51.5	529.9		
1941—July ...	26.0	202.1	54.0	76.8	14.9	28.7	49.3	547.7		
1943—July ...	25.1	217.8	30.1	79.9	10.5	22.9	39.6	522.1		
1944—July ...	24.4	217.6	28.2	82.3	10.6	23.4	42.6	524.2		
1945—July ...	24.7	216.6	34.2	86.0	11.3	24.3	45.8	541.2		
1946—July ...	25.7	239.7	45.1	97.3	16.9	34.3	37.0	625.4		
1947—July ...	26.7	255.7	57.0	102.7	18.8	37.9	62.9	676.7		
1948—July ...	28.0	265.2	61.1	107.4	19.5	39.6	64.5	702.2		
1949—July ...	11.7	210.1	62.1	109.1	20.4	40.6	64.5	636.6		
1950—Jan. ...	28.3	271.2	65.3	111.5	20.7	44.1	67.7	729.6		
Feb. ...	28.5	273.8	65.9	112.3	20.8	45.2	67.8	735.1		
Mar. ...	28.4	274.6	66.7	112.9	21.1	44.2	68.1	736.7		
July ...	28.3	276.8	68.1	114.7	21.2	44.8	66.7	740.4		
Aug. ...	28.5	277.8	69.0	114.5	21.3	44.8	67.1	742.8		
Sept. ...	28.4	277.8	69.9	114.6	21.3	45.8	67.0	744.9		
Oct. ...	28.5	278.5	70.1	114.2	21.3	46.1	67.1	746.2		
Nov. ...	28.7	278.5	70.6	112.8	21.3	46.7	67.2	748.3		
Dec. ...	28.6	278.4	70.1	114.7	21.4	46.7	67.4	751.4		
1951—Jan. ...	28.6	280.4	70.5	114.7	21.5	51.2	67.8	752.1		
Feb. ...	29.0	280.4	71.4	115.0	21.7	47.4	67.8	754.4		
Mar. ...	28.9	279.3	71.6	114.0	21.7	47.5	67.6	752.3		
FEMALES (thousands).										
1933—June ...	0.1	36.3	0.3	3.7	33.6	49.4	2.4	125.8		
1939—July ...	0.1	59.3	0.5	4.2	8.5	36.0	10.3	168.0		
1941—July ...	0.2	76.0	0.7	8.2	8.3	41.0	14.2	218.3		
1943—July ...	0.2	94.6	0.7	12.9	9.9	38.5	20.4	253.8		
1944—July ...	0.2	91.6	0.7	13.8	10.2	36.3	20.0	251.0		
1945—July ...	0.2	85.7	0.7	14.5	10.6	37.5	17.4	246.7		
1946—July ...	0.2	83.1	0.9	12.9	10.0	39.2	12.3	243.0		
1947—July ...	0.2	86.8	1.0	12.8	10.4	40.9	11.8	252.9		
1948—July ...	0.3	91.1	1.1	13.8	10.9	42.8	10.0	262.7		
1949—July ...	0.3	74.0	1.2	14.6	11.7	40.4	10.6	244.0		
1950—Jan. ...	0.3	94.3	1.2	14.8	12.2	42.4	10.6	273.2		
Feb. ...	0.3	96.4	1.3	15.0	12.5	42.2	10.6	276.1		
Mar. ...	0.3	97.0	1.2	15.2	12.6	43.4	10.7	278.7		
July ...	0.3	97.1	1.3	15.3	12.7	43.7	11.0	279.0		
Aug. ...	0.3	97.6	1.4	15.3	12.7	43.8	10.9	279.6		
Sept. ...	0.3	98.4	1.3	15.3	12.8	44.4	10.8	281.7		
Oct. ...	0.3	99.5	1.4	15.6	12.7	46.1	10.8	285.7		
Nov. ...	0.3	100.4	1.3	15.9	13.0	48.0	10.8	289.2		
Dec. ...	0.3	99.2	1.4	15.7	13.0	50.2	11.0	289.8		
1951—Jan. ...	0.3	97.7	1.4	15.9	13.2	45.8	11.0	284.9		
Feb. ...	0.3	100.0	1.5	16.1	13.5	45.6	11.3	288.3		
Mar. ...	0.3	99.8	1.5	16.0	13.7	45.6	11.3	288.7		
PERSONS (thousands).										
1933—June ...	18.2	130.8	55.4	68.7	112.0	93.6	27.7	506.4		
1939—July ...	24.8	218.1	58.4	81.6	67.5	80.0	61.8	697.9		
1941—July ...	26.2	278.1	54.7	85.0	23.2	82.6	68.5	766.0		
1943—July ...	25.3	312.4	30.8	92.8	20.4	67.2	87.9	775.9		
1944—July ...	24.6	309.2	28.9	96.1	20.8	64.8	86.6	775.2		
1945—July ...	24.9	302.3	34.9	100.5	21.9	67.7	85.5	787.9		
1946—July ...	25.9	322.8	46.0	110.2	26.9	81.3	79.6	868.4		
1947—July ...	26.9	342.5	58.0	115.5	29.2	87.5	80.2	929.6		
1948—July ...	28.3	356.3	62.2	121.2	30.4	92.2	77.5	964.9		
1949—July ...	12.0	284.1	63.3	123.7	32.1	89.6	79.5	880.6		
1950—Jan. ...	28.6	365.5	66.5	126.3	32.9	92.8	81.0	1,002.8		
Feb. ...	28.8	370.2	67.2	127.3	33.3	92.5	81.1	1,011.2		
Mar. ...	28.7	371.6	67.9	128.1	33.7	93.7	81.1	1,015.4		
July ...	28.6	373.9	69.4	130.0	33.9	94.2	80.3	1,019.4		
Aug. ...	28.8	375.4	70.4	129.8	34.0	94.3	80.2	1,022.4		
Sept. ...	28.7	376.2	71.2	129.9	34.1	95.0	80.3	1,026.6		
Oct. ...	28.8	378.0	71.5	129.8	34.0	97.1	80.2	1,031.9		
Nov. ...	29.0	379.2	71.9	128.7	34.3	100.6	80.4	1,037.5		
Dec. ...	28.9	377.6	71.5	130.4	34.4	104.5	80.8	1,041.2		
1951—Jan. ...	28.9	378.1	71.9	130.6	34.7	97.0	81.3	1,037.0		
Feb. ...	29.3	380.4	72.9	131.1	35.2	96.8	81.8	1,042.7		
Mar. ...	29.2	379.1	73.1	130.0	35.4	96.6	82.0	1,041.0		

\* Excluding working proprietors. From July, 1949, subject to revision. Employment in factories according to class of industry and age is shown in Tables 25 and 26.

† Education, Health, Law, Hotels, Restaurants and other Professional and Personal Services.

‡ Governmental employees not classifiable in any industrial group shown, New Australians temporarily employed by Defence Authorities, and persons engaged in Forestry, Fishing and Trapping and in Workshops not included in factory statistics (see note to Table 22).

§ Affected by an industrial dispute in coal mines and power restrictions. See note (2) above Table 83.

## No. 85.—Retail Price Index-Numbers—All Items, "C" Series.

## Sydney.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

Base of Each Section: Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities, 1923-27 = 1,000.

Quarter.	Food and Groceries	Rent—4 and 5 rooms.	Clothing.	Miscellaneous Items.	All Items.	
					Total.	Increase from Sept. Quarter 1939.
1939—September ...	930	1,039	841	939	933	...
1940—September ...	945	1,042	948	996	973	4.3
1941—September ...	947	1,043	1,129	1,062	1,027	10.1
1942—September ...	1,061	1,042	1,337	1,105	1,122	20.5
1943—March* ...	2,050	1,042	1,408	1,145	1,141	22.3
June† ...	1,065	1,042	1,479	1,162	1,165	24.9
1944—September ...	1,035	1,043	1,437	1,167	1,146	22.8
1945—September ...	1,042	1,043	1,412	1,163	1,142	22.4
1946—September ...	1,032	1,043	1,537	1,168	1,167	25.1
1947—March ...	1,097	1,044	1,532	1,186	1,192	27.8
June ...	1,096	1,044	1,540	1,187	1,194	28.0
September ...	1,109	1,044	1,579	1,244	1,218	30.5
December ...	1,139	1,045	1,639	1,245	1,242	33.1
1948—March ...	1,192	1,046	1,674	1,247	1,270	36.1
June ...	1,235	1,046	1,748	1,267	1,305	39.9
September ...	1,279	1,047	1,811	1,279	1,337	43.3
December ...	1,326	1,047	1,831	1,279	1,359	45.7
1949—March ...	1,350	1,048	1,891	1,334	1,391	49.1
June ...	1,384	1,048	1,980	1,347	1,425	52.7
September ...	1,395	1,049	2,054	1,385	1,452	55.6
December ...	1,421	1,049	2,161	1,389	1,486	59.3
1950—March ...	1,459	1,049	2,190	1,435	1,515	62.4
June ...	1,518	1,049	2,307	1,446	1,564	67.6
September ...	1,599	1,050	2,373	1,473	1,613	72.9
December ...	1,713	1,050	2,447	1,527	1,680	80.1
1951—March ...	1,826	1,051	2,541	1,565	1,749	87.5

\* Price stabilisation level.

† War-time peak.

## No. 86.—Export Price Index-Numbers—Australia.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

These index-numbers are compiled from the prices of 20 commodities which constitute at present about 80 per cent. of all exports. The prices of the commodities are multiplied by the average annual exports (production in the case of gold) during the three years, 1933-34 to 1935-36

(Base of each section: Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100.)

Period.	Wool.	Wheat.	Butter.	Metals. *	Meats. †	Gold.	All Groups‡ (including Gold).
\$ ...	45.63	17.06	11.36	6.83	6.63	6.98	100.00
Year ended June.							
1938-39 ...	79	66	101	84	96	103	83
1944-45 ...	117	154	147	129	122	120	130
1945-46 ...	117	213	147	196	123	122	146
1946-47 ...	173	305	173	308	139	122	203
1947-48 ...	287	420	193	372	146	122	283
1948-49 ...	365	413	233	478	171	122	332
1949-50 ...	473	400	250	421	196	164	383
Month.							
1945—September ...	116	170	147	180	123	122	137
1946—June ...	116	250	147	230	123	122	155
1947—June ...	196	354	173	352	145	122	226
1948—June ...	362	475	204	425	155	122	333
1949—June ...	339	365	233	449	176	122	311
1950—March ...	524	420	250	411	200	176	411
June ...	592	435	250	494	200	176	450
July ...	592¶	424	271	496	200¶	176	451
August... ..	864	423	271	547	200¶	176	578
September ...	890	419	271	675	200¶	176	599
October ...	890	427	271	681	200¶	176	601
November ...	965	436	271	704	200¶	176	639
December ...	973	437	271	700	200¶	176	643
1951—January ...	1,252	430	271	713	200¶	176	772
February ...	1,339	423	271	714	200¶	176	811
March ...	1,437	428	271	739	200¶	176	860
April ...	1,094	432	271	774	200¶	176	705

\* Non-ferrous—Silver, Copper, Tin, Spelter, Lead.

† Beef, Lamb, Mutton, Pork.

‡ Including, in addition to groups shown, Sugar, Dried Fruits, Tallow and Hides (proportionate weight, 5.51 per cent.).

§ Percentage distribution of base aggregate for "All Groups."

¶ Nominal. || Subject to Revision.



## No. 87.—Wholesale Price Index-Numbers—Basic Materials and Foodstuffs.

(Compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.)

The price quotations in the main have been obtained directly from manufacturers and dealers, and, with a few important exceptions, from Melbourne sources. Apart from home-produced building materials, coal and one or two minor commodities, however, the price movements may be taken as representative of fluctuations in wholesale prices of basic materials in most Australian markets. The weighting system adopted is based on average annual consumption during the years 1928-29 to 1934-35 inclusive.

(Base: Average 3 years ended June, 1939 = 1,000.)

Period.	Basic Materials.							Foodstuffs and Tobacco.	Basic Materials and Foodstuffs.		
	Metals and Coal.	Oils, Fats and Waxes.	Textiles.	Chemicals.	Rubber and Hides.	Building Materials.	Total.		Goods Principally Imported.	Goods Principally Home Produced.	Total.
Year ended June.											
1938-39	1,025	1,004	815	1,011	925	970	992	1,029	991	1,020	1,011
1944-45	1,307	1,675	1,518	1,428	1,398	1,747	1,522	1,308	1,819	1,232	1,405
1945-46	1,303	1,561	1,518	1,416	1,398	1,766	1,490	1,348	1,782	1,257	1,412
1946-47	1,318	1,453	1,913	1,401	1,313	1,802	1,488	1,380	1,768	1,288	1,429
1947-48	1,460	1,607	2,833	1,478	1,261	1,898	1,655	1,532	1,924	1,448	1,588
1948-49	1,849	1,737	3,419	1,594	1,301	1,983	1,884	1,747	2,008	1,727	1,869
1949-50	2,144	1,842	4,335	1,867	1,426	2,247	2,145	1,979	2,231	1,982	2,054
Month.											
1945—Sept.	1,303	1,566	1,508	1,410	1,398	1,758	1,489	1,353	1,791	1,257	1,415
1946—June	1,300	1,519	1,544	1,418	1,398	1,783	1,481	1,367	1,766	1,275	1,419
1947—June	1,350	1,448	2,135	1,412	1,172	1,843	1,513	1,436	1,817	1,327	1,470
1948—June	1,571	1,659	3,403	1,533	1,345	1,944	1,757	1,591	1,960	1,544	1,667
1949—June	1,966	1,746	3,200	1,623	1,247	2,021	1,922	1,805	1,991	1,803	1,858
1950—Jan.	2,185	1,888	4,935	1,987	1,454	2,409	2,249	1,929	2,322	1,972	2,074
Feb.	2,185	1,897	4,900	1,994	1,459	2,409	2,250	1,991	2,369	2,001	2,109
Mar.	2,185	1,901	4,804	2,001	1,511	2,427	2,252	1,989	2,355	2,006	2,109
April	2,189	1,901	4,984	2,001	1,544	2,440	2,267	2,185	2,364	2,164	2,222
May	2,189	1,901	5,353	2,001	1,686	2,440	2,295	2,136	2,354	2,149	2,208
June	2,193	1,904	5,254	2,006	1,825	2,446	2,299	2,172	2,377	2,169	2,229
July	2,220	1,904	5,304	2,302	1,771	2,446	2,335	2,144	2,359	2,178	2,231
Aug.	2,240	1,904	7,371†	2,318	1,914	2,449	2,468†	2,195	2,403	2,285†	2,319†
Sept.	2,274	1,904	7,524†	2,355	2,205	2,452	2,505†	2,195	2,422	2,301†	2,336†
Oct.	2,377	1,904	7,528†	2,361	2,751	2,460	2,566†	2,209	2,468	2,331†	2,372†
Nov.	2,462	1,904	7,968†	2,363	3,051	2,540	2,648†	2,246	2,503	2,399†	2,429†
Dec.	2,557	1,904	8,048†	2,394	3,377	2,549	2,703†	2,199	2,547	2,380†	2,429†
1951—Jan.	2,580	1,904	9,957†	2,397	3,377	2,623	2,834†	2,199	2,558	2,460†	2,488†
Feb.	2,660	1,955	10,597†	2,513	3,472	2,786	2,957†	2,233	2,640	2,532†	2,563†
Mar.	2,802	2,016	11,313†	2,522	3,623	2,796	3,073†	2,453	2,688	2,756†	2,735†

\* Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the wholesale price index. This index does not measure changes in price of imports generally.

† Legislation which became effective on 14th December, 1950, had the effect of reducing (by bounty) the price paid for raw wool for local manufacture in Australia below the open market (auction room) price. Such reductions were virtually retrospective to August, 1950. Index-numbers shown in Table 87 were calculated using the auction room prices for wool. Below are shown these same indexes re-calculated on the approximate effective prices paid for raw wool for local consumption, i.e., auction room price less bounty. Only four groups are affected and these are re-calculated as follows:—

Month.	Textiles.	Total Basic Materials.	Goods Principally Home Produced.	Total, All Groups.
1950—August	5,579	2,366	2,218	2,273
September	5,434	2,385	2,223	2,282
October	5,438	2,447	2,255	2,317
November	5,878	2,528	2,322	2,374
December	5,957	2,584	2,302	2,374
1951—January	7,717	2,706	2,377	2,430
February	8,358	2,829	2,485	2,529
March	9,074	2,945	2,673	2,677



No. 88.—Statistical Summary—New South Wales.

Particulars.	Calendar or Financial Year.						
Population (Mean).	1923.	1928.	1933.	1938.	1943.	1948.	1950.
Males ... ..	1,123	1,255	1,319	1,374	1,431	1,516	1,621
Females ... ..	1,079	1,205	1,283	1,349	1,427	1,514	1,604
Persons ... ..	2,202	2,460	2,602	2,723	2,858	3,030	3,225
Vital Statistics.							
Births (Live) ... ..	54,069	54,791	44,195	47,319	57,265	67,234	71,592
Deaths ... ..	21,048	22,657	22,322	26,105	28,870	30,403	30,955
Marriages ... ..	17,523	20,076	18,399	24,579	26,302	30,164	30,036
Birth Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	24.56	22.27	16.99	17.38	20.04	22.19	22.20
Death Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	9.56	9.21	8.58	9.59	10.10	10.04	9.60
Marriage Rate per 1,000 Mean Population ...	7.96	8.16	7.07	9.03	9.20	9.96	9.32
Divorces made Absolute ... ..	729	913	1,008	1,424	1,828	3,277	3,419
Employment.							
Persons in Employment (other than defence, working proprietors, rural workers and female domestics in private households)—			1933—June.	1939—July.	1944—June.	1949—May.	1950—June.
Males ... ..	*	*	380	530	524	721	741
Females ... ..	*	*	126	168	251	270	278
Persons ... ..	*	*	506	698	775	991	1,019
Production.							
1923-24.	1928-29.	1933-34.	1938-39.	1943-44.	1948-49.	1949-50.	
Net Value of Production—							
Rural ... ..	£ 66,500†	68,079	55,826	50,161	88,608	170,205†	241,952†
Other Primary ... ..	£ 13,500†	13,963	8,934	13,377	20,184	38,821	41,399
Total Primary ... ..	£ 80,000†	82,042	64,760	63,538	108,792	209,026†	283,351†
Factories ... ..	£ 55,661	73,627	54,402	90,266	162,726	251,199	283,201
All Recorded Industries ... ..	£ 135,661†	155,669	118,802	153,804	271,518	460,225†	566,552†
Agriculture—							
Total Area under Crop ... ..	thous. acres 4,810	5,443	6,284	7,049	4,797	5,711	5,670
Gross Value of All Crops to Producers ... ..	£ 17,668	19,356	14,302	18,459	32,750	49,150†	68,491†
Wheat (grain)—Area ... ..	thous. acres 2,945	4,090	4,584	4,651	2,093	4,038	4,012
Yield ... ..	thous. bshl. 33,171	49,257	57,057	59,898	47,500	64,704	81,939
Av. per Acre ... ..	bshl. 11.3	12.0	12.4	12.9	17.6	16.0	20.4
Pastoral, Dairying, etc.—							
Sheep (at 31st March) ... ..	thous. 41,294	50,185	52,104	48,877	56,837	50,404	53,298
Cattle (at 31st March) ... ..	thous. 2,932	2,785	3,362	2,812	3,143	3,253	3,440
Horses (at 31st March) ... ..	thous. 657	567	532	531	466	358	342
Pigs (at 31st March) ... ..	thous. 323	312	367	377	561	375	333
Wool (as in the grease) ... ..	thous. lb. 303,032	482,920	484,390	437,141	537,410	463,208	515,043
Value at Place of Production ... ..	£ 28,209	30,879	29,951	17,076	31,703	86,457	127,703
Butter ... ..	thous. lb. 72,667	96,244	148,868	118,821	92,357	78,792	87,006
Cheese ... ..	thous. lb. 5,913	6,339	9,073	7,486	5,525	5,581	6,334
Bacon and Ham ... ..	thous. lb. 19,052	23,087	21,092	22,158	30,337	27,088	25,769
Minerals Won—Quantity—							
Gold ... ..	oz. fine 18,833	12,831	29,252	88,698	63,779	52,164	51,793
Silver-lead ore, etc. ... ..	tons 241,761	247,847	225,445	317,230	249,484	228,590	220,040
Zinc (inc. concentrates) ... ..	tons 426,049	314,864	230,952	265,296	283,964	259,260	257,040
Coal ... ..	thous. tons 10,479	9,448	7,118	9,571	11,473	11,721	10,736
Minerals Won—Value—							
Gold ... ..	£ 80	55	226	781	666	561	639
Silver-lead ore, etc. ... ..	£ 2,941	2,491	1,779	3,282	3,723	16,644	14,308
Zinc (inc. concentrates) ... ..	£ 1,412	1,119	284	231	782	2,614	3,439
Coal ... ..	£ 8,668	8,264	4,307	5,604	9,789	14,938	16,385
Factories—							
Establishments ... ..	No. 7,321	8,465	7,818	9,464	10,755	16,087	16,346
Persons Employed (Average)—							
Males ... ..	No. 121,845	135,773	111,599	167,172	226,824	282,312	284,055
Females ... ..	No. 37,829	44,983	42,400	61,609	96,208	96,068	98,330
Salaries and Wages Paid ... ..	£ 29,773	38,545	25,749	44,606	93,518	146,536	162,147
Value of Plant, Buildings, etc. ... ..	£ 66,608	85,638	95,395	120,047	152,782	201,053	224,442
Value of Output ... ..	£ 146,359	185,299	136,612	218,419	399,138	609,724	693,203
Net Value of Production—Industry—							
Industrial Metals, Machines ... ..	£ 17,277	23,072	15,296	31,691	78,525	101,617	113,059
Clothing ... ..	£ 5,325	6,371	4,030	6,227	10,047	21,732	23,260
Textiles ... ..	£ 1,370	2,426	2,584	3,553	8,102	12,832	14,956
Food, Drink and Tobacco ... ..	£ 9,876	13,552	11,192	16,106	21,440	32,722	34,573
All Factories ... ..	£ 55,661	73,627	54,042	90,266	162,726	251,199	283,201
Building.							
1923.	1928.	1933.	1938.	1943.	1948.	1950.	
Estimated Cost of New Buildings and Additions—							
Private Building Permits ... ..	£ 21,885§	4,370§	20,372§	1,869§	49,443	82,118	
Government Building Approved ... ..	£ 4,683			4,683	11,343	17,375	
Dwellings—Houses and Flats Approved ... ..	No. 17,403§			800§	30,983	36,798	

\* Not available. † Approximate. ‡ Subject to revision.

§ Excluding Country Shires.

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¶ Base: 1936-37 to 1938-39=100. // Base: Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities, 1923 to 1927=1,000  
\*\* Year 1949. † Preliminary.